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A Somnambulist Pilot.

There used to be an excellent pilot on the river, a Mr. X., who was a somnambulist. It was said that if his mind was troubled about a river he was pretty sure to get up and walk in his sleep, and do strange things. He was once fellow-pilot for a trip or two with George E., on a great New Orleans passenger packet. Late one night the boat was approaching Helena, Ark., the water was low, and the crossing above town in a very bad and tangled condition. X. had seen the crossing since E. had, and as the night was particular drizzly, sullen and dark, E. was considering whether he had not better have X. called to assist in running the place, when the door opened and X. walked in.

"Let me take her Mr. E.; I've seen this place since you have, and it is as crooked that I reckon I can run it myself easier than I could tell you how to do it."

"It is kind of you, and I swear I am willing. I haven't got another drop of prespiration left in me. I am spinning around and atound the wheel like a squirrel. It is so dark I can't tell which way she is swinging till she is coming around like a whirligig."

So E. took a seat on the bench, panting and breathless. X. assumed the wheel without saying anything, steadied the waltzing steamer with a turn or two, and then stood at ease, coaxing her a little to this side then to that, as gently and as sweetly as if the time had been noon-day. When E. observed this marvel of steering he wished he had not confessed! He started, and wondered, and finally said:

"Well, I thought I knew how to steer a steamboat, but that was another mistake of mine."

X. said nothing, but went serenely on with his work. He rang for leads; he rang to slow down the steam; he worked the boat carefully and neatly into invisible marks, then stood at the center of the wheel and peered out blandly into the blackness, for, and aft, to verify his position; as the leads shoaled more and more, he stopped the engines entirely, and the dread silence and suspense of "drifting" followed; when the shoalest water was struck he craked on the steam, carried her handsomely over, and then began to work her warily into the next system of shoal-marks; the same patient, heedful use of leads and engines followed; the boat slipped through without touching bottom, and entered upon the third and last intricacy of the crossing; imperceptibly she moved through the gloom, crept by inches into her marks, drifted tediously till the shoalest water was cried, and then, under a tremendous head of steam, went swinging over the reef and away into deep water and safety!

E. let his long-pent breath pour out into a deep, relieving sigh, and said:

"That's the sweetest piece of piloting that was ever done on the Mississippi river! I wouldn't have believed it could be done if I hadn't seen it."

There was no reply, and he added:

"Just hold her five minutes longer, partner, and let me run and get a cup of coffee."

A minute later E. was biting into a pie down into the "texas," and comforting himself with coffee. Just then the watchman happened in, and was about to happen out again when he noticed E., and exclaimed:

"Who is at the wheel, sir?"

"X."

"Dart for the pilot-house quicker than lightning!"

The next moment both men were flying up the pilot-house companionway three steps at a jump! Nobody there! The great steamer was whistling down the river at her own sweet will! The watchman shot out of the place again; E. seized the wheel; set an engine back with power, and held his breath while he swung away from a "tow-head," which she was about to knock into the Gulf of Mexico.

By and by the watchman came back and said:

"Didn't that lunatic tell you he was asleep when he first came up here?"

"No."

"Well, he was. I found him walking along on the top of the railings, just as unconcerned as another man would walk a pavement; and I put him to bed. Now just this minute, there he was again, away astern, going through that sort of tight-rope deviltry the same as before."

"Well I think I'll stay by next time he has one of those fits. But I hope he'll not have them often. You just ought to have seen him take this boat over Helena crossing. I never saw anything so gaudy before. And if he can do such gold-leaf, kid-glove, diamond-pin piloting when he is sound asleep, what *couldn't* he do if he was dead?"—*Mark Twain.*

NEW COAL MINES.—An important discovery has lately been made in the opening of a rich coal mine in the southern part of Patagonia, in the Straits of Magellan, near the Chilian colony of Punta Arenas. The property referred to has been granted by the Chilian government to three French explorers—Messrs. Bouquet, Derue and Suzainnecourt. There are three distinct beds of the coal, of which one is about 300 feet above the level of the sea, of a minimum thickness of about 6½ feet. The second is from 5 to 6 feet in thickness, and is about 170 feet above the first. The third is about 130 feet above the second, with a thickness of 16 feet, divided into three nearly square layers, and separated by a thin strata of slate. In view of the large number of steam vessels annually traversing the straits of Magellan, an unlimited supply of good coal in that locality is a matter of very great importance.

A PLUCKY BOY.—A farmer's boy was crossing a field where a very wild and ferocious bull was allowed to roam at large. When the boy had about reached the middle of the field, he suddenly saw the bull, with head lowered, rushing furiously at him. Being accustomed to managing cattle, he was in no way disconcerted, and ran to a tree near by and commenced running around it with the bull after him; presently he caught the bull by the tail, and commenced belaboring him unmercifully with a stick. The bull, finding that "tail" was turned, started off at a run, the boy clinging to him, but the faster he ran the more the boy belabored him, until finally he commenced bellowing. "O," says the boy, increasing his blows, "you may bellow, but I'd like to know who started this!"

A New Story of the Creation.

George Smith has written a letter to the London *Telegraph*, concerning his efforts to read the cuneiform tablets which were procured by him in Assyria and deposited in the British Museum. These tablets contain the Chaldaic account of the creation and fall of man, and thus, at this comparatively late day of the world, their report comes to strengthen or weaken the Mossic history, as recorded in the Bible, of the same great events. Mr. Smith, after giving an account of the discovery of the tablets, says that when complete they must have numbered nine or ten, and that the history as recorded on them of what occurred "in the beginning," was much longer and fuller than the corresponding report in the book of Genesis. He continued as follows: The narrative on the Assyrian tablets commences with a description of the period before the world was created, when there existed a chaos or confusion. The desolate and empty state of the universe, and the generation by chaos of monsters, are vividly given. The chaos is presided over by a female power named Tisalat and Tiamat, corresponding to the Thalatth of Berosus; but as it proceeds the Assyrian account agrees rather with the Bible than with the short account from Berosus. We are told in the inscriptions of the fall of the Celestial being who appears to correspond to Satan. In his ambition he raises his hand against the sanctuary of the God of heaven, and the description of him is really magnificent. He is represented riding in a chariot through celestial space, surrounded by the storms, with the lightning playing before him, and wielding a thunderbolt as a weapon.

"This rebellion leads to a war in heaven and the conquests of the powers of evil, the gods in due course creating the universe in stages, as in the Mosaic narrative, surveying each step of the work and pronouncing it good. The divine work culminates in the creating of man, who is made upright and free from evil, and endowed by the gods with the noble faculty of speech.

"The Deity then delivers a long address to the newly created being, instructing him in all his duties and privileges, pointing out the glory of his state. But this condition of blessing does not last long before man, yielding to temptation, falls; and the Deity then pronounces upon him a terrible curse, invoking on his head all the evils which have since afflicted humanity. These last details are upon the fragment which I excavated during my first journey to Assyria.

"I have at present recovered no more of the story and am not yet in a position to give the full translation and details, but I hope during the spring to find time to search over the collection of smaller fragments of tablets and to light upon any smaller parts of the legends which may have escaped me. When my investigations are completed I will publish a full account and translation of the Genesis legends, all of which I now have been fortunate enough to find, some in the old museum collection, others by excavations in Assyria."

SUCCESSFUL SURGICAL OPERATION. The *Call* is authority for saying that a remarkable and happily successful surgical operation was performed on General John F. Miller late Collector of the Port of San Francisco, on the 1st instant. General Miller held a prominent position in the Union army during the late war. On the 24th day of July, 1863, while at the head of his command at Liberty Gap, Tennessee, he was struck in the eye by an Enfield bullet. For some days he remained in a comatose condition, and his medical attendants feared he would never rally. He recovered, however, the wound healing, but the General often suffered from neuralgic pains, and recently the uninjured eye gave indications of weakness. Dr. Gruening, an occulist from New York, was consulted. An operation was decided upon, for there had never been made any attempt to extract the bullet. At 11 o'clock yesterday Drs. Gruening, Brigham and Martinache met at the Grand Hotel. General Miller was placed under the influence of chloroform, and the surgeons began the work. The skin was laid open with the knife and the injured eyeball raised. Just behind it was found the leaden bullet which General Miller had received twelve years ago. The surrounding bones had formed a slight union with the bullet, but this was speedily overcome, and the ball was removed. Its weight is one ounce. The wound was dressed and the patient left in a comfortable condition, although a little more "light-headed" than he has been for a dozen years.

NEWSPAPER DEADHEADS.—A class of chronic grumblers imagine that newspaper men are charity objects, and are not entitled to enough surplus to buy a good square meal at the end of a year's labor. To such we commend the following trite article from an exchange:

Every now and then we hear the press of the country accused of deadheading. It is true that now and then a newspaper conductor comes under the rule. But there is no interest on the face of the earth that is expected to give as much to society, without pay or thanks, as a newspaper. Railroads, steamboats and theatres complain of deadheading by preachers, editors and brethren of the craft, but the newspaper press endures more of this deadheading than all three combined. The pulpit, the bar, the theatre, corporations, societies, mercantile establishments, venders of quack medicines, railroad companies, steamboats and every variety of individuals, including political parties and politicians, draw largely upon the liberality of the press. Never a week passes that the editor is not asked to advertise something or somebody gratuitously, and he generally does it and takes his pay out in thanks, doled out in homœopathic doses. And the obscure and niggardly man you have aided beyond his merits considers that his name adorns your columns and gives circulation to your paper. You know it is true, reader.

A BAD JOB.—John O'Connor, Jr., of Portsmouth, Va., after two years' useless labor in trying to raise the frigate Cumberland, sunk by the Confederate ram Merrimac, off Newport News in 1863, has totally abandoned the job, and sold out for $8,000 to P. Harrington, J. Sawyer and other parties from Detroit, Michigan, who are now at work trying to get up the safe. This is said to contain $200,000, and the first issue of greenback currency. This is the fourth wrecking firm who have invested in the Merrimac speculation. O'Connor saved himself in selling.

The "Independent" Press on the Connecticut Election.

Nothing more clearly reveals the true character of the "independent" press than their comments on the Connecticut election. What is the result of that election so far as known? The Democrats re-elected their Governor by nearly 10,000 majority; they elected three, and possibly all four, Congressmen; they retained their control of both branches of the Legislature, and elected their State officers. At the last election Ingersoll had less than two thousand majority, and the Democrats but one of four Congressmen. Imagine our surprise in the face of this glorious and sweeping victory to find the *Bulletin* and *Call*, to say nothing of the pronounced Radical press, talking about the "drawn battle" in Connecticut. What have the Radicals gained? Nothing. On the contrary they lost everything. A more overwhelming defeat has seldom occurred. The Democrats achieved a most decisive and pronounced victory. They did this in the face of every obstacle. Money, patronage, and war-speeches were unstintingly scattered around by the Radicals. Logan, Frye, Hoar, and Oglesby made night hideous by their frantic imprecations. The bloody shirt was flouted under the nose of every Connecticut voter. Yet the *Call* says that from this election the Eastern press concludes "that the Democrats are on trial," in other words insinuates that there is nothing significant or permanent in the Democratic victories. The election took place last Monday; its result is not even now definitely known, although a Democratic triumph is assured, and all that the *Bulletin* and *Call* can have drawn their sage deductions from are telegraphic dispatches.

The fact is, these "independent" papers have obtained all their information about the election from dispatches from New York, giving the comments of papers there published the day after the election. And this leads us to consider the "independent" press. The "independent" press is controlled, edited and run for the most part, if not wholly, by disappointed office-seeking Radicals. They are Radicals whose disappointment in not obtaining office has been so great as to cause them to renounce *open* allegiance to Radicalism. But they have renounced Radicalism only nominally, for they cannot change their natures, and so the bigoted and dishonest spirit animating the adherents of that party continually crops out in all their sayings and doings. At heart these "independents" are the blackest and most pronounced Radicals. Canting and whining, they servilely appeal to the people for support; and they meanly assume a false guise of patriotism; they disingenuously declare themselves opposed to monopolies; and they do all this, why? Because they think it the best way to catch the people, just as a man catches a fish. Hypocrisy is exemplified by this "independent" journalism. But every now and then when the Democrats achieve some signal victory, the rage and mortification of these so-called "Independents" overcome their prudence. Instantly they launch out with philippics explaining the cause of the victory, if victory they admit it. On other occasions they withhold the facts. Again they give the facts, but deliberately misrepresent them. Even a child can see through the flimsy and transparent covering of "independence" they assume, and can behold the offensive carcass of Radicalism it conceals. Who ever heard or saw an article favorable to Democracy from an "independent" paper? No one. And why? Because the conductors of these sheets have, and can have no idea of Democracy. Judging others by themselves they, of course, find it impossible to conceive how a man or body of men can act from *principle*. Such a thing is to them incomprehensible. If they think, however, to delude the quick and watchful eyes of the people by imputed misrepresentations, they greatly err. A political revolution, which has just begun, is sweeping over this country. It cannot be stopped; such a revolution never has been and never can be stopped by misrepresentation. The people look for themselves, think for themselves, decide for themselves. They will neither be led nor blinded, nor be dictated to by some played-out fossiliferous Radical bigot calling himself "independent.' No amount of misrepresentation can change the *facts* in Connecticut. The effect of this victory will be great; its meaning is plain. The people emphatically repudiate, indignantly spurn, Grant and Radicalism. They demand in fact, as in name, a *united* country, and will tolerate nothing less. They see, and justly too, that the Democratic party is the one best capable of administering this government honestly, ably, and constitutionally, and they are determined to give that party control of it; pronounced Radical and "Independent" Radical papers to the contrary notwithstanding.—*Examiner.*

DEATH'S GARNERINGS.—Just as the fierce storm-wind bloweth where it listeth, does the dread mower of life swing with inexorable fatality his never-looked-for and never-welcome scythe. The prattling babe is snatched from the fond parent's embrace to-day without a warning note of the reaper's approach and a heavy burden of grief falls upon the bereaved household. The keen edge of grief cuts into the hearts of a few mourners, and a soul-harvest from that home has been gathered in to the great garner above. Cruel as the blow has been, but a small circle has felt its weight, and the busy world goes on as before. The sombre gleaner comes again to-morrow, and takes from loving hearts in another home another loved one; and we know that not a day escapes a visit from the death angel, and the hanging of a dark pall over some one's household. And so grief falls to the lot of one here to-day and another there to-morrow, and the death angel comes so often that the grim chariots of woe are kept ever rolling between the living and the silent city of the dead. Death seems to be ever picking from the living in order to make up some kind of a bouquet for his realms eternal beyond, and the flowers that we esteem the highest and the most useful here are often plucked and snatched from among us.—*Oakland News Local.*

An Address to the Democracy of the State.

The Executive Committee of the Democratic State Central Committee having called a meeting of prominent Democrats, to consult about the interests of the party, the following named and other gentlemen were present: Stewart Menzies, Colonel Archibald Wason, Colonel E. E. Eyre, Robert Howe, Speaker, *pro tem*, of the last Assembly; John Kelly, Jr., Wm. Dunphy, Henry F. Williams, L. L. Bullock, Michael Hayes, Matthew Nunan, T. W. Brennan, T. O'Neil, John Wieland and William O'Connell. A Special Committee, consisting of Messrs. McCoppin, Wason, Kelly, Dunphey and Howe was appointed to draft an address to the Democrats of the city and State. The address was duly prepared, and having been submitted to a meeting of the same prominent Democrats, was adopted without a dissentient voice. It reads as follows:

To the Democracy of the City and State: One of the fundamental principles of this republic is that all the just powers of the Government are derived from the consent of the governed.

When questions affecting the well-being of society arises men divide into opposing forces, and thus are formed political parties, and upon the one having the suport of a majority of the people devolves the duty and responsibility of directing the destinies of the country.

In times of civil strife and discord, when the very existence of the Government may be imperiled, the people, forgetting or overlooking for the time being all minor considerations, give their support to the party whose principles and professions afford the best guarantee of its maintainance; but when society regains its tranquility mere party names lose to a very great extent their power to control the masses, whose chief concern it is to have the Government honestly administered.

The principles of the Democratic party are incontestibly sound. It is the party of the people, and to it the country now looks for at least a mitigation of those evils which are the result of a profligate and violent administration of national affairs. To this end we should all address ourselves at the present time, and, as the result of our State and municipal elections in September next must largely effect the elections in other States this Fall as well as determine the position of California in the contest of 1876, it is of the first consequence that our party should now place itself upon tenable ground and fully in accord with the aspirations of the people for a better and purer Government.

The character of the men put forward for office by the Democracy should be such and only such as will command public confidence—not only this, but the source from which they emanate must be above suspicion and without taint; otherwise they are certain to be defeated at the polls.

A body calling itself a County Committee assumes the right to govern the party in this city and county.

It certainly does not derive its powers from the consent of the Democracy, which utterly repudiated it two years ago.

Whether well founded or not, and it is no part of present purpose to determine that question, it is a notorious fact that a deep-rooted prejudice exists in the public mind against the old County Committee. At all events it has wholly lost the public confidence, and no man or set of men—however worthy he or they may be—nominated for office through the instrumentality of that body could possibly receive the indorsement of any considerable number of the people of this community.

Under these circumstances, having no other alternative left, an appeal was made to the State Central Committee, which met on the 25th of last month, to order a primary election under the provisions of the Political Code, and by Senatorial districts instead of by Wards, which no longer exist except in name, they having been shorn of all their political prerogatives, and which, as at present constituted, contain nothing approximating any equality in the number of electors.

In response to this appeal the Executive Committee was authorized and directed to call an election for the 24th of the present month, when there shall be chosen seven representatives from each of the five Senatorial districts who shall compose a Central Committee, and shall also constitute District Committees in their respective districts, and shall have power to call Conventions for the nomination of both district and county officers, and also to determine the manner of choosing delegates to the State and Judicial Conventions.

Thus the whole question of organizing the Democratic party upon a fair, honest and legitimate basis is referred back to the people in their respective districts, and upon them devolves the responsibility of choosing their own representatives.

The only object of the present movement is so to purify and reform the organization of the party in this city and county as to allow the masses of the party a full, fair and free choice in the selection of all Committees, Conventions, and Candidates.

Without this the party will not command success because it will not deserve it. More than this its very existence as a political organization is seriously menaced.

To those, if any there be, who may feel disposed to cavil at the regularity of the proposed remedy, we would say this: We cannot possibly be worse off than we are now. Success with the Committee is out of the question, as witness our repeated defeats under their management, which for years has been such as to repel from active participation in politics the conservative, honest masses of the party.

Any change which promises to eliminate from our politics the objectionable Ward system and by enlarging the constituencies to bring again into the councils of the party its representative men, without whose aid and cooperation we cannot hope for success, must be welcomed as an improvement upon the present deplorable condition of affairs.

The following are substantially the boundaries of the Senatorial Districts:

The Ninth District is bounded by Washington street, First avenue, the southerly boundary line of the Presidio Reservation, the Pacific ocean and the Bay.

The Tenth District is bounded by Washington street and the southerly line of the Presidio Reservation on the north, and Market and Geary streets and the Point Lobos Toll road on the south, and the ocean and Bay on the east and west.

The Eleventh District is bounded by Fourth and Market streets and the Bay.

The Twelfth District is bounded by Larkin, Geary, Market, Fourth and Eight streets and the Bay.

The Thirteenth District is bounded by Eighth, Larkin and Geary streets, the ocean, the Bay and the boundary line of San Mateo county.

FRANK McCOPPIN,
A. WASON,
JOHN KELLY, JR.,
ROBERT HOWE,
WILLIAM DUNPHY,
Special Committee on Address.

A King's Hotel Bill.

Following is the bill presented by the proprietors of the Windsor Hotel, New York, for entertaining King Kalakaua and suite eight days.

To double room and bath for King Kalakua	$196 00
To double room and bath for King's courier	160 00
To double room and bath for Gov. Dominis	196 00
To double room and bath for chief Dommis' valet	164 00
To double room and bath for Governor Kapena	196 00
To double room and bath for Governor Kapena's valet	164 00
To double room and bath for Colonel Wisery, U. S. A.	196 00
To double room and bath for Colonel Wisery, U. S. A.	196 00
To double room and bath for Lieut. Com. Whiting, U. S. N.	196 00
To double room for Lieut. Com. Whiting's valet	156 00
To double room and bath for Lieut. Palmer, U. S. N.	196 00
To double room and bath for Lieut. Todon, U. S. N.	196 00
To double room and bath for Chief Justice Allen and wife	180 00
To double room and bath for Colonel Treat, U. S. A.	196 00
To committee room	220 00
To King's private parlor	120 00
To King's reception parlor	160 00
To King's dining parlor	160 00
To octagon parlor, two days	100 00
To private parlor, four days	60 00
To King's private table and service of meals	1,800 00
To meals for Aldermen and guests	1,300 00
To entertaining army and navy officers and Committee of Board of Trade	564 05
To wine and cigars	1,832 70
To cigars	376 70
To washing	133 00
To baggage	1 00
To boxing and packing	42 75
To cash paid for carriages	234 75
To express	37 50
To stationery and postage	54 90
To messenger boys and telegrams	73 40
To medicine for Governor Kapena	572 56

A HORSE THAT WON MORE MONEY THAN ANY OTHER THAT EVER LIVED. The famous English race horse Thormanby, sire of the winner of the Derby in 1860 died, suddenly of heart disease at Newmarket on Feb. 28th. At two years old he won for his owner in stakes alone upward of $18,000, having started fourteen times, won nine races and being placed either second or third in the remaining five. His trainer felt confident of his ability to win the blue ribbon of the turf on the Epsom Downs, so well had the colt done throughout the winter, and this hope was realized, for he won the Derby easily by a length and a half from Wizard, who had won the two thousand guineas, and was the favorite at starting. Mr. Merry had backed his horse so heavily, and on such good terms, that he won between $400,000 and $450,000 on the race. The horse was seized with strangles the day after the Derby, and was not in condition again all the season—running unplaced to St. Albans in the St. Leger, and being beaten by Sabreur in the Doncaster Cup, by Wizard in the Grand Duke Michael stakes, and by Tom Cowline in a 500 sovs. sweepstakes. At four years old he won the Claret stakes and Ascot Cup, beating Umpire, Thunderbolt, St. Albans, Fairwater, Parmesan, and others, and was beaten by the American horse Starke, to whom he was conceding fourteen pounds in weight and two years in age, for the Goodwood Cup. This was his last race. He sired Planet, Sunshine Lady Coventry, Thorwaldsen, Hester, Camel, Atlantic is, Atlantic (the 2,000 guineas victor last year), Tomahawk, Cashmere, and many other distinguished winners. Two of his produce came to this country—Bonnie Scotland and Glengarry. The former is running successfully in Peru, South America, and the latter is at the stud in South Carolina.

CALIFORNIA AGRICULTURE.—Farmer Warren, in speaking of the writing of a History of Agriculture of this great State, says: "To do full justice to this grand subject requires a mind of vast comprehension. It required a Macauley to write the History of England, a Gibbon for Rome, a Mitford for Greece, and a Rollins for ancient history; but who can do justice to the wonderful History of California Agriculture? Where lives the mortal that can go back and gather up the early seed planted for this great interest? Who can truthfully tell of the corner stones, the frame-work, and all the vast labor that has been given to awake to life the slumbering germs of Agriculture, that were buried here in past years, only to be brought to life by the magic touch of living souls, and soul work? for work has been done—great work—but to give its history, aye, and to give it truthfully, so that it shall stand as history! Alas! to our mind, it should require the genius of a Webster to lay the foundation, the eloquence of an Everett to speak of its glorious wonders, and the mind of a Washington Irving to paint the glowing imagery that truth demands to do it justice. The History of California Agriculture cannot now be written. It is comparatively but an infant in its swaddling clothes, but it is the form of a young Hercules that shall, in coming years, hold the world in its power.

A SMALL HORSE.—A letter writer from Dixon says: Quite a number of Dixonites visited Geo. O. McKinley's yesterday, to see the Shetland colt not two days old. It will be remembered that McKinley bought of Carey the three ponies, Yell, Bressie and John Craigle. The colt is from Bressie, stands twenty-seven and three-quarter inches high, and weighs exactly fifty pounds; John Craigle weighs five hundred and Bressie four hundred and twenty pounds. The colt is of a brownish color, perfectly formed and as docile and tractable as a lamb. It can be taken in the arms and fondled as easily as you would a babe. Nimrods are warned not to trespass on McKinley's grounds, lest they mistake this Lilliputian horse for a jack rabbit.

The Yolo Democrat,

With Half-Sheet Supplement;
MAKING SIX PAGES EVERY WEEK.

Contains all County Official Advertisements.

WOODLAND, CAL:
Friday, April 16th, 1875.

PUB. DOCS.—We are indebted to Hon. J. K. Luttrell for two vols. of pub. docs from Washington.

GUADULUPE TELEGRAPH.—We have received the first number of this new paper published by our late townsman J. R. Porterfield. It looks well and we hope will prove a profitable investment.

FOR ASSESSOR.—The *Mail* says R. H. Besmer is a candidate for County Assessor. If he should get the nomination he would be pretty sure of an election and would attend with honesty fidelity and ability to the duties of the office.

CHICO AND COLUSA.—These two towns are agitating the building of a narrow gauge railroad to connect them. The estimated cost is $400,000, including rolling stock, two miles of side track, depot buildings, turn-tables and everything complete for operating the road.

POWDER EXPLOSION.—On the 8th instant an explosion of giant powder occurred in San Francisco, from which five persons lost their lives instantly, four others have since died and still others are more or less severely wounded. Property was destroyed amounting to $300,000.

THE THREE CONVENTIONS.—The Independent State Convention is called for June 22d; the Democratic for June 29th; and the Sacramento *Bee* thinks it is probable that the Republican State Committee, which met this week, called theirs for the 10th instant. So far as the *Bee* has heard all Republicans favor holding their Convention first.

REOPENING OF THE INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND AND THE DEAF AND DUMB.—This institution will open again on Wednesday next, by which time it is necessary for all who were inmates before the fire to be present in order to be sure of admission, as there are said to be more applicants than the temporary building just erected has the capacity to accommodate.

WHAT GOV. STANFORD SAYS.—From the Colusa *Sun* of the 10th inst. we learn that Governor Stanford has been interviewed in regard to his intentions in the matter of a railroad up through that county, and he says the steel rails have been ordered to build the road from Woodland to the Willows, and that it will be laid in the next three months. It will, he says, run on the line surveyed up through the middle of range three west, which will be ten miles west of the steamboat landing at Colusa. He will run a railroad from this line to Colusa, if the people of the town will grade and make the road bed for the ties; or he will lend them all the rolling stock, without charge, if they want to build and own the road themselves." This begins to look like business, and for the sake of our up-country neighbors particularly, we trust their hopes will soon be realized.

THE BIG SHOW.—Montgomery Queen has the greatest and best circus in America if not in the world. The Oakland *Transcript* of the 10th inst. goes into rapture over the wonderful attractions of this great show, and says: "The actors have world-wide reputations, the animals trained so wonderfully, beyond conception, only tell one thing, and that is, credit to the indefatigable proprietor, Montgomery Queen, who has spared neither expense nor pains to make the public convinced and satisfied. The great riding match between Robinson and Fish for $10,000 is more than worth the price of admission." Besides many other celebrities, Mr. Robinson and his two sons, with their seven horses, riding monkey, buffaloes and dog, and Mr. Gorman, the great hurdle jockey rider. The *Transcript* further says: "We understand that Mr. Queen will have have two separate rings, side by side, and under the same mammoth pavilion." This great Circus and Menagerie of wild animals will exhibit in Woodland May 29th, in the afternoon and evening.

Knights Landing Items.

The Christian denomination will commence the erection of a church edifice next week.

The Catholics are also talking of building a church, and doubtless will as soon as they can complete their arrangements.

Prof. Martin baptized four converts to the Disciple faith last Sunday. There are two more candidates for baptism. A series of evening meetings was commenced in the school house by Elder Wright, of the same denomination, last evening, which will probably continue about ten days.

It seems the Methodists are not all satisfied with sprinkling for baptism. Southern Methodists will immerse seven or eight persons on Sunday next.

Hon. C. F. Reed has just resowed about one hundred acres of wheat that was drowned out on a portion of his reclaimed land. The balance of his crop—some 700 or 800 acres looks splendid.

Mr. Reed has just finished an immense barn of which we have not the dimensions. It cost not less than $4,000.

The general health at the Landing and in the neighborhood is good.

The great anxiety here as elsewhere is for rain.

San Jose Correspondence.

SAN JOSE, April 10th, 1875.

EDITOR DEMOCRAT:—It is a fact deeply to be regretted that American enthusiasm is much less concordant with the exigency of the occasion in the celebration of a national event or holiday than that exhibited by the minor foreign nations. The Germans and Irish celebrate to a greater extent the anniversary of American independence than our own people. This spirit was manifested here on Saint Patrick's Day, and more vividly last Sunday, when the Mitchell obsequies took place. The procession was the largest ever witnessed in this city, requiring fifteen minutes to pass. The ceremonies, which consisted chiefly in marching through the principal streets and an address by James T. Murphy, were highly creditable to the occasion. The coffin and hearse were draped in mourning, drawn by four white horses, all of which were heavily draped, and ornamented with large plumes in their head-gear. During the address, which was delivered in the Opera House, over one hundred dollars were collected for the family of the deceased statesman.

On the same day the public also feasted on a contesting debate upon the public street, on the subject of prohibition versus intemperance. It was this way. The day before, speeches were made from a dry goods box on the side walk by W. O. Clark, D. Kilpatrick and others of the Temperance alliance, favoring prohibitory laws. Now it happened that the Rev. J. L. Hatch, who last fall was forced to abandon his position in one of the Santa Clara schools for opposing local option, was present. When they had finished and propoed to speak on the morrow, Hatch was loudly called upon. He said he would speak the next day when those gentlemen were done. But that was no go. He must speak, and speak he did. But the appointed time was the next day. The optionists came reinforced by Dr. Gibbon and a druggist from San Francisco to analyze whiskey. With this army they met in open discussion the solitary Hatch, who, having the most substantial proofs on his side gained the favor and applause of the hearers. Both sides were well defended and the discussion was a highly interesting one.

Yesterday morning the local papers announced that between the hours of 9 and 10 o clock a German was to attempt the feat of walking across the continent and carry the German flag. On the streets where he was to pass great numbers gathered to see him off.

At the time appointed he marched down the street, bearing the German and American flags and a small roll of blankets. He was often stopped by persons asking him questions, wishing him a successful journey, and many were the four bit pieces given him with the request that he should take a drink when he reached the summit. This he proposed to do. There was much speculating indulged in concerning his probable "bringing up" point. Some thought he would reach Stockton, some San Francisco, while others thought the "darned fool may get through." At any rate there is money in it, and it now seems singular that your correspondent could not have planned the scheme before he did.

Yesterday I accepted the invitation of a friend to accompany him to Santa Clara, which is located about four miles from this place. Seated behind one of San Jose's best "turnouts" we "let 'em spiel" and I assure you the drive was an exceedingly delightful one. The road was perfectly smooth and the trees which were planted in the center of the road and extending the entire distance, furnished a most beautiful shade. I then had an opportunity to notice the grain, which certainly gave out little promise of a good crop. Rain however, would bring it out. Because of its close proximity to San Jose, it must not be imagined that Santa Clara is a town of no consequence. True, it is small, but its limits include many fine buildings—churches, colleges, dwellings, etc. The County Hospital is located there, and is an ornament to the town. Santa Clara is about two-thirds the size of Woodland. It is quite a business place, and the Santa Clara *Echo* is a spicy local paper.

Considerable excitement prevailed to-day by the announcement of the discovery of a mammoth cave on Santa Clara Street. It was ascertained, however, that the cave was caused by the leaking of the main sewer.

The Farmers' Bank has been removed to Santa Clara street, making four banks at the crossing of First and Santa Clara streets. They are all huge buildings.

Business remains dull and travel is at high tide. Yours Respectfully,

CYRIL.

General Items.

SMILER COLFAX has made $6,000 lecturing this season. That's better than dabbling in Credit Mobilier stock.

THE Chico *Enterprise* urges the Republicans to nominate Gen. C. Perkins for Lieutenant Governor.

A Shanghea dispatch says two steamers engaged in the local trade, came into collision, when one was sunk, causing great loss of life.

ONE of the Directors of the Grangers' Business Association of California says that $300,000 has been subscribed to the capital stock of the Association, and that the business will soon be on foot.

THE Boston *Journal* says the time has come for the President to announce his intention to retire from office at the close of the present term. A bold manly enunciation of such a purpose would revive the drooping spirits of the party.

A DRIVING SNOW-STORM prevailed at New York, April 13, and continued till evening. Dispatches from the interior of the State and eastern portions of Pennsylvania say that snow has fallen to depth of from five to nine inches. The storm extended to Baltimore and Washington.

THE Bessemer steamship constructed to avoid being seasick, has made a trial trip from Gravesend to Calais. She crossed in seven hours, and her performance is considered satisfactory.

Two barns belonging to C. Rucker, in Pope valley, Napa county, were burned on Thursday, with sixty tons of hay, wagons, agricultural implements, etc.

New Advertisements.

Washington Hall.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY,
MAY 16 AND 17.

MISS Zoe Gayton!

SUPPORTED BY
Her Star Dramatic Company
In the Thrilling Drama, entitled
"The Sea of Ice,"
—OR THE—
Wild Flower of Mexico.

SATURDAY EVENING,
"MIAMI,"
Or, the Wild Huntress of the Mississippi.

☞ For full particulars see bills of the day.

Admission, front seats, 75c; reserved seats, 50c.

GRAND CONCERT
—OF—
Vocal & Instrumental Music
FOR THE BENEFIT OF
J. M. WOOD.

A Grand Vocal and Instrumental Concert will be given in
Washington Hall, Woodland,
MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 19,

in which Prof. Wood will be assisted by five Ladies and an equal number of Gentlemen of Colusa, who are among the best musicians of that place, and have kindly volunteered their services for the occasion. He will also be aided by several prominent Sacramento musicians, and by some of the best local talent of our own town. The Concert will consist of Anvil Chorus, Chorus—Night Shades the longer, quartettes, piano solos, vocal solos and duetts, violin solos, comic songs, violin duettes, overtures, cornet solos, etc.

In order to add to the musical effect, the stage will be extend forward, so as to remedy difficulties heretofore experienced.

No pains or expense will be spared to make this the best and most satisfactory Concert ever given in Woodland.

Mr. A. K. Hammer of Sacramento, agent for the Chickering Pianos, furnishes one of his first-class instruments for the occasion.

Door open at 7; Concert will commence at 7½ P.M. Programmes will be issued in due season.

Tickets of Admission, 50 Cents;
Can be had at the principal business houses in town. ap16

MAY-DAY PICNIC.

THE WOODLAND Turn-Verein

Will hold their Fourth Anniversary Picnic on
Saturday, May 1st, 1875,
In Mr. G. Hunt's Pasture, the same place as two years ago,
NEAR CACHE CREEK.

Everybody is invited to join with us in our festivities. Conveyances will run frequently during the day.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS:
D. Schindler, J. H. Arnold, N. Schardin, C. Soulier, E. Hoernlein, Chr. Sieber, A. Nickelsburg.

COMMITTEE OF INVITATION:
Woodland—D. M. Burns, Wm. Gibson, Henry Aronson, C. H. Davis, J. D. Stephens, M. Steinmitz, G. Fahrion.
Davisville—J. Horning, A. Siebold, O. M. Reed
Knights Landing—L. Frevel, T. Adams.
Cacheville—M. Bemerly, C. H. Bork, A. Rose.
West Grafton—Theo. Weyand, Milton Dale.
Capay—H. Strobach, Peter Lawner.
Co.lonwood—P. Heuschen.
Buckeye—B. F. Harling.

Prizes will be awarded for Ladies' Races.

There will be SACK RACES and various other amusements. A floor will be laid 80 by 80 feet for those who love Dancing.

☞ Refreshments can be had on the Picnic Grounds.

Excellent Music will be provided.

ap16 BY ORDER OF THE COMMITTEE.

Geo. D. Fiske,
Real Estate
AND INSURANCE AGENT,
P. O. Block, Woodland.

My arrangements with San Francisco, Sacramento and Eastern Agencies for the sale of Real Estate, and for bringing the rich farming lands of Yolo County to the notice of Immigrants being complete, I am prepared to find purchasers for Large and Small Ranches. Have

Immediate sale for several small Farms!

Anyone having a large tract that can be subdivided will do well to call at once.

☞ Would also like a tract of from 5,000 to 8,000 acres that can be subdivided into from 75 to 100 small farms for an Eastern colony.

Real Estate Sales of the Office since September last amounting to $150,000.

Town of Woodland Property.
Lots containing from one to five acres, within and near the Corporation,
FOR SALE CHEAP AND ON EASY TERMS

Houses and Stores for Rent.
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Boot and Shoe Store!

H. B. PENDEGAST & CO.,
Having purchased the
San Francisco Boot and Shoe Store, at Woodland,
Will from this time forward keep a Complete Assortment of BOOTS,
Ladies & Children's Shoes
OF ALL KINDS.

Having employed the best workmen that can be procured, we are prepared to do Custom Work as well as can be done on the Coast. Using nothing but the Best of Stock, and having Good Workmen, we guarantee a fit and satisfaction.

REPAIRING DONE NEATLY.

Our friends, and the public generally, are requested to give us a trial.

H. B. PENDEGAST & CO.
Woodland, April 15th, 1875. ap16

New Advertisements.

SELLING AT COST
FOR THIRTY DAYS
To Close Business,
THE ENTIRE STOCK OF GOODS AT THE
Bazaar!
—Consisting of—
FANCY GOODS, TOYS,
INFANTS' WARDROBES,
FLANNELS,
EMBROIDERIES,
EDGINGS,
NAINSOOKS,
Chromos, Brackets, Frames,
ETC., ETC.

A LARGE LOT OF CHILDRENS' BUTTON BOOTS
—AND—
SHOES
Will be Sold for LESS THAN COST.

STORE TO LET!
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Knights Landing.

Huston Bros.
HAVE JUST RECEIVED
The Largest Assortment
—OF—
SPRING GOODS
Ever Seen in the Town of KNIGHTS LANDING!
Consisting of everything kept in a General Merchandise Establishment, such as
FANCY DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE,
HARDWARE,
MACHINERY,
And our own importation of
Bain Wagons!

☞ We shall be pleased to have you call and examine, and we take pleasure in showing you our goods. ap16-3m

A most pleasant and invigorating tonic. Recommended by all the eminent Physicians throughout the United States.

Every family should have it in the house.

Read certificates on each bottle. Sold by all Liquor Dealers and Druggists.

H. EPSTEIN & CO.,
Sole Proprietors.
513 FRONT ST., SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
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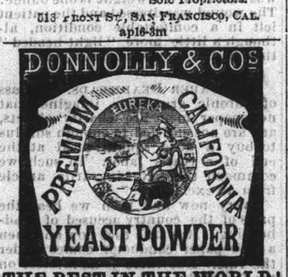

THE BEST IN THE WORLD!

NO HOUSEKEEPER CAN MAKE SWEET AND WHOLESOME BREAD WITHOUT IT.

This well-known and long established YEAST POWDER is now in great demand. Sales increasing daily. Now 25 gross per day to the trade. D. CALLAHAN, now sole manufacturer and proprietor, uses no drugs—no bone dust; pure white cream of Tartar, imported direct and ground on the premises, being the chief ingredient.

Always on hand and for sale at lowest prices:
Callaghan's Yeast Powder,
In 1 lb cans, a superior article.
Callaghan's Cream of Tartar,
In all style of packages.
Callaghan's Pure English Bi-Carbonate of Soda and Saleratus.

For Sale by All Grocers.
—ALSO—
Cream of Tartar Crystals and English Bi-Carbonate of Soda, in Kegs.
For sale by
D. CALLAGHAN & CO., Manufacturers,
121 FRONT STREET, San Francisco.
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DEPOT FOR ICE & SODA WATER!

GODFREY GAGNON
Has perfected his arrangements for this business for the present season, and will give it his personal attention.

DEPOT IN NICHOLAS SALOON BUILDING.

☞ Ice and Soda delivered to all parts of town. ap16-3m

New Advertisements.

BOOT FACTORY FOR WOODLAND.

J. G. HUDSON,
The Oldest Established Custom Boot Maker in Woodland, proposes to make

BOOTS FOR $7 PER PAIR,

Superior to any store boots now offered to the public. When proved that this branch of industry is encouraged,

The Means and Machinery

Are ready to establish a thorough

BOOT MANUFACTORY

Which will not only produce a good Boot at half the price of our Custom $14.00 work, but will find employment for a

Number of Mechanics

Among the many immigrants flocking to our shores. AWAKE TO YOUR INTERESTS, don't stop to talk, but work for your own good.

Opp. Dunapher's Blacksmith and Carriage Shop,
MAIN STREET, WOODLAND.
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County Treasurer's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT there are Funds in the Treasury to redeem all Warrants registered as follows:

ON THE GENERAL FUND
Prior to June 10th, 1874.

ON THE HOSPITAL FUND,
Prior to September 6th, 1873, and warrant No. 642, registered September 6th, 1873.

ON THE ROAD FUND,
Prior to February 6th, 1872, and warrants Nos. 1759, 1760, 1761, 1763, registered Feb. 6th, 1872.

A. C. KEAN, Treasurer Yolo Co.
Woodland, April 15th, 1875. ap16-3t

NOTICE!

All persons keeping Stallions, Jacks or Bulls for service in Yolo County, will please call at my office and obtain license without delay.

J. A. HILLER, Collector Yolo Co.
Woodland, April 14th, 1875. ap16-3t

1819. 1875.
I. O. O. F. CELEBRATION.

The Oddfellows of Yolo County will celebrate the Fifty-Sixth Anniversary of the introduction of Odd-Fellowship in America, on

Monday, April 26th, 1875,

Under the auspices of WOODLAND LODGE, No. 111, at Woodland, Yolo County, Cal.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.
M. Furniss, J. W. Tilley, L. Deitz,
R. B. Mosby, D. M. Burns.

GRAND MARSHAL—N. Wyckoff.
PRESIDENT OF THE DAY—O. D. Reed.
ORATOR—Hon. Leonidas E. Pratt.
CHAPLAIN—Rev. J. A. Banfield.

THE PROCESSION.

Will form in front of Odd-Fellows' Hall at 10 A.M. and proceed from thence to the Grangers' Warehouse, where the ceremonies of the day will be conducted, which will consist of the following exercises:

1st—Opening Ceremonies by the Lodge.
2d—Music by Ellis' Brass Band.
3d—Address by the President.
4th—Prayer.
5th—Music.
6th—Oration.
7th—Music.
8th—Benediction.

A GRAND BALL
Will be given in the evening at
WASHINGTON HALL.
Supper at the Craft Hotel.

TICKETS, { *including Supper* / *at Craft Hotel,* } $3.00.

A general invitation is hereby extended to all.
BY ORDER OF THE COMMITTEE.

A CARD.

Having resigned the agency of the PHŒNIX AND HOME Insurance Companies to accept the management of the Yolo County Branch of the HOME MUTUAL Insurance Company of California, I would respectfully solicit for this Company a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore extended to me.

The receipts of the HOME MUTUAL in California exceed those of any other company, proving its popularity with the insuring public. The losses the past year averaged ten per cent. below the general average of all the companies, proving the care and skill exercised in the management of its business. Under this new arrangement the premiums will be invested in Yolo County, a fact to be favorably considered by our people; the auditing of losses will be in the hands of five of our best and most popular citizens, forming a Board of Trustees, so that in making the change I am satisfied I have acted for the best interests of the county, and can furnish better facilities to the insuring public than ever before.

GEO. D. FISKE.
Woodland, March 28th, 1875. ap2

SPECIAL NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING SOLD out his business to T. F. & W. R. Eaton, takes this opportunity to thank his friends and customers for their liberal patronage heretofore extended to him, and hopes they will continue the same to them.

N. B.—I can be found at the old stand for thirty days to settle up business.

J. I. EATON.

NEW FIRM.

T. F. EATON.] [W. R. EATON.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG LEAVE TO inform the people of Woodland and Yolo County that we have purchased the entire stock in trade of the late firm of J. I. Eaton, and will keep constantly on hand a full assortment of

Groceries, Provisions and Queensware,

Which we will sell at the lowest possible rates.

COUNTRY PRODUCE

Bought and sold. CASH PAID FOR EGGS.

☞ The place of business is the Store in the Grove, on the corner of Main and Third streets, opposite Masonic Hall.

feb13-3m T. F. & W. R. EATON.

THE NEW
MILLINERY ESTABLISHMENT!
Spring and Summer Goods

MRS. & MISS PORTER
Have received their Spring Stock of Millinery, embracing the Latest and Most Fashionable styles of Goods, and are prepared to suit the most tasteful tastes at reasonable prices.

BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS.—We are agents for the celebrated Butterick's Patterns, to which we call the attention of the public.

Ladies are respectfully invited to favor us with their patronage.

MRS. W. W. PORTER & CO.
Woodland, March 18th, 1875. mh19-3m

SELLING OUT
—AND—
RETIRING FROM BUSINESS!

The undersigned will sell off their entire stock of Tinware, Stoves, Water Pipes, etc., etc., at the lowest possible rates, as they desire to close out the stock as soon as possible for cash, and retire from the business.

The BUILDING AND LOT will be sold cheap and on reasonable terms.

For particulars apply at the Store.

All parties indebted to us are requested to come forward and settle immediately.

mh26 HOSENKRANS & KUHN.

FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL,
WM. MINIS,
Of Yolo County,
Subject to the decision of the Democratic State Convention. fe19-tf

FOR CLERK OF SUPREME COURT,
D. B. WOOLF,
Of San Francisco.
Subject to the decision of Democratic State Convention. fe19-3m

SPRING Goods!

THE LATEST STYLES
—OF—
Spring Goods!

THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT
—OF—
SPRING GOODS
Ever seen in the Town of Woodland is now exhibited at

A. NICKELSBURG & BROS.

We take pleasure to inform the people of Woodland and Yolo County that we have been receiving daily, for the past ten days, large quantities of the Latest Styles of

Spring Goods!

Which are now offered to the Public.

It is useless to enumerate in this notice.

Our Goods are all First-Class,
AND WE SELL AT THE
LOWEST MARKET PRICES

We will be pleased to have you call and examine, and we will take pleasure in showing you our goods.

We Call Special Attention to Our STOCK OF Domestics!
—WHICH ARE NOW—
Cheaper than Ever!

A. NICKELSBURG & BRO.
mh19-3m

CLOSING OUT
Auction Sale
—OF—
New Buggies
—AND—
WAGONS.

The undersigned will offer for sale to the highest bidder, at the dates and places named below, a lot of Fine New Vehicles, as follows:

At Dixon, Solano Co., on SATURDAY, April 17th, 10 Express Wagons, 3 Buggies and 2 Barouches.

At Buckeye, Yolo Co., Thursday, April 22d, 5 Express Wagons, 3 Buggies and 2 Barouches.

At Langville, Yolo Co., Saturday, April 24th, 5 Express Wagons, 2 Buggies and 1 Barouche.

At Diefendorff's Store, on the Sacramento River, Colusa Co., THURSDAY, April 29th, 15 Express Wagons, 3 Buggies and 1 Barouche.

At Colusa, Saturday, May 8th, 20 Express Wagons, 4 Buggies, 4 Barouches.

At Princeton, Colusa County, SATURDAY, May 15th, 15 Express Wagons, 3 Buggies and 2 Barouches.

I have on hand ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIX VEHICLES, made of the best materials and warranted, which I am bound to sell within short time, and they will be closed out at auction or private sale, without reserve, as above specified.

TERMS—Notes with approved security will be taken, payable October 1st, 1875, in gold coin, with 1½ per cent. per month interest.

JOHN PLUMER, Prop'r.
Knight's Landing, April 8th, 1875. ap8

THE WELL-BRED HORSE
TICKLE-MY-FANCY!

Will stand the present season, ending June 30th, as follows: At KNIGHTS LANDING, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday; At CACHEVILLE, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

TERMS, Ten Dollars. To be paid during the season in U. S. gold coin. Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but will be responsible for none.

TICKLE-MY-FANCY is seven years old, seventeen hands high, and weighs 1425 pounds. He was sired by Hinman's Consul, who has trotted his mile in 2:27. His dam was fine White mare. This stallion was awarded the first premium in 1870 and in 1873.

March 18th, 1875. [mh18-1m] W. E. HAYDEN.

District Court Summons.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE SIXTH Judicial District, State of California, County of Yolo.

JAMES C. WELCH, Plaintiff, vs. H. MERCER, Defendant.

The People of the State of California send greeting to H. MERCER,

You are hereby summoned to appear and answer the complaint of JAMES C. WELCH, in said Court, filed against you, within ten days from the service of this writ, exclusive of the day of service, if served on you in this county; if served out of this county, but within this Judicial District, within twenty days; but if served on you without said District, then in forty days from such service, exclusive of the day of service, in an action commenced on the Sixth day of March, 1875, in said Court.

Said action is brought to recover of Defendant the sum of Two thousand one hundred and thirty-three dollars and fifty cents ($2,133.50) due upon a certain Promissory Note executed by said Defendant to Plaintiff herein for the sum of Three hundred dollars and interest thereon at the rate of three per cent. per month from August 11th, 1857, to date, and for accruing interest and costs of suit, and you are hereby notified, that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as directed, Plaintiff will take default and apply to the Court for the relief demanded.

In testimony whereof, I, A. D. SCHINDLER, Clerk of the Sixth Judicial District Court aforesaid, do hereunto set my hand and affix the Seal of said Court, at office in Woodland, this Eighth day of March, A.D. 1875.

(SEAL.) D. SCHINDLER, Clerk.
By D. M. BURNS, Deputy.
LAMBERT & DEWITT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.
mh12-2m

Probate Notice.

Estate of Andreas Schmid, deceased.

IN THE PROBATE COURT IN AND for the County of Yolo, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of ANDREAS SCHMID, deceased.

Whereas it appears to me from the Petition of MARTIN STEINMITZ that it is necessary to sell the whole of the Real Estate belonging to the Estate of said deceased, to pay the debts of said deceased, and the expenses and charges of administration, I hereby order and direct that all persons interested in said Estate appear before said Court at the Court-Room in the Town of Woodland, Yolo County, California, at the hour of One o'clock P.M., of SATURDAY, the SEVENTEENTH day of APRIL, 1875, to show cause why an order should not be granted to said Executor to sell so much of the Real Estate belonging to said Estate as may be necessary for the purposes herein before mentioned; and I hereby direct that a copy of this Order shall be published for four successive weeks in the YOLO DEMOCRAT, a weekly newspaper printed and published in the Town of Woodland, in said county.

Woodland, March 12th, 1875.
J. A. HUTTON, Probate Judge.

[SEAL.]
Attest: A true copy.
D. SCHINDLER, Clerk.
mh19-5t By D. M. BURNS, Deputy.

Certificate of Copartnership.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that we, ELIJA W. BROWN, resident at the Town of Davisville, County of Yolo, and LEWIS C. DRUMMOND, residing at the Town of Davisville, County of Yolo, in the State of California, do hereby certify and declare that we have organized and formed ourselves into a copartnership, and we covenant and agree with eachother to be copartners for the purpose of carrying and conducting the business of Hardware, Agricultural Implements, and the Manufacturing of Tin and Sheet Iron Ware in the Town of Davisville, County of Yolo and State of California, under the firm name and style of BROWN & DRUMMOND.

That the principal place of business of said copartnership is situated at the Town of Davisville, County of Yolo, and State of California.

That the names of all the persons interested as partners in such business are above stated and signed hereto, and that such partnership will continue and be in force until further notice by us.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this first day of December, A.D. 1874.

Duly acknowledged before R. P. DAVIDSON, Notary Public, April 6th, 1875.

Filed, April 5th, 1875.
D. SCHINDLER, Clerk.
E. W. BROWN, [SEAL.]
ap9-5t L. C. DRUMMOND. [SEAL.]

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned will apply to the Hon. Board of Supervisors of the County of Sutter, at their next regular meeting to be held at the Court House of said county of Sutter, at Yuba City, in said county, on the first Monday in May, A.D. 1875, for authority to erect and establish and take tolls on a public ferry across the Sacramento River to be established at the Town of Kirksville, in said County of Sutter.

Dated this 27th day of March, 1875.
ap2-4w D. SAUNDERS.

Notice to the Public.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL whom it may concern, that I have revoked the appointment of ISAAC C. STEEL, who has heretofore acted as my Agent at Davisville, Yolo County, California, and he is no longer authorized to represent me in any manner.

ABRAHAM POWELL, Jr., is alone authorized to represent me from date hereof.

SOUTH VALLEJO, Solano Co., March 31st, 1875.
ap2-1m A. POWELL.

Who Wants It?

At One o'clock P.M. on the EIGHTH DAY OF MAY, 1875, at my office in Woodland, I will sell at private sale that desirable Ranch of two hundred acres, known as the

CURRIE PLACE,

Situated in Yolo County on the Sacramento River, lying between the lands of A. G. McCormick and the late C. H. Gray.

The Terms of Sale

Will be cash in U.S. gold coin, or one-half cash and the other half drawing 1¾ per cent. per month interest, payable in one year, secured by mortgage on the premises.

The Manner of Sale

Will be as follows: I will receive offers in sealed envelopes delivered to me personally or by mail or express from this date to the day of sale. At the time appointed for the sale I will open the bids in the presence of the bidders, and upon payment being made I will execute the proper conveyance to the person making the best bid—reserving the privilege of rejecting all bids if disproportionate to the value of the premises.

TITLE PERFECT.

Each envelope should have written on the outside the word "Proposal" to prevent its being opened by mistake. If any bidders are not personally present at the time of opening the bids, proper vouchers for their responsibility must accompany the bids, or they will be disregarded.

Woodland, April 8th, 1875.
ap9-3w C. P. SPRAGUE.

[ESTABLISHED 1853.]
DALE & CO.,
PIONEER MUSIC STORE,
NO. 185 J ST., SACRAMENTO,
AGENTS FOR THE

KNABE PIANO FORTES
—AND THE—
Prince's Organs.
FRENCH AND GERMAN ACCORDEONS!

New Music received every day. Instruments Tuned and Repaired. Zephyr Wools and Embroideries. Toys and Fancy Goods in great variety.

Berlin Wool!
FIFTEEN CENTS PER FULL OUNCE!
—WITH—
BETTER SHADES,
BETTER WEIGHT,
BETTER QUALITY.
Than can be had anywhere else. mh5-3m

TAKE NOTICE!

We hereby give notice to all persons who are indebted to the firm of

L. KAMINSKY & CO.,

Of the San Francisco Boot and Shoe Store, Woodland, that the business has changed hands, and all unpaid accounts are left with J. C. BALL, Esq., for immediate collection, and we trust they will meet with prompt attention.

L. KAMINSKY & CO.
Woodland, April 7th, 1875. ap9-1m

The Yolo Democrat.

Friday, April 16th, 1875.

Town and County Matters

CAL. P. R. R. TIME-TABLE.

	A.M.		P.M.	
	Passenger.	Freight.	Passenger.	
Going South..	6:20	6:50	3:45	
" North...	11:44	9:35	8:49	
SUNDAY TRAINS.				
	Passenger.		Passenger.	
Going South..11:20 A.M.		Going North..5:09 P.M.		

Train leaving Woodland at 11:44 A.M. connects with Boat at Knight's Landing for Colusa every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday

Board of Supervisors.

The Board of Supervisors of Yolo County met on Monday, April 12th—present all the members.

A. H. Rose appeared before the Board in the matter of Reclamation District No. 108 and made a motion that the estimate filed with the Board Dec. 16th 1872 be withdrawn, and that the order of the Board of that day appointing assessment commissioners be rescinded, which was done; and thereupon a supplemental estimate was filed by said A. H. Rose, and on motion Wm. Minis and J. M. Kelly of Yolo county, and Moses Stinchfield of Colusa county, were appointed commissioners to assess upon each and every acre of land a tax for reclamation purposes.

Work of graveling Rupley and Brown road was accepted and the amount of $600 appropriated to pay for the same.

In the matter of the Davisville and South Putah road, the report of viewers was dismissed on the gound of illegality in the proceedings. In matter of Davisville and Tule road similar action was taken.

In regard to report of viewers of West Grafton and S. P. Barnes road, action was suspended till 26th instant.

Petitions for location of roads Nos. 101, 102, 103, 104, 105 and 107, in Dist. No. 2, and No. 106 in Dist. No. 5, were received and viewers appointed.

Report of Viewers on Quicksilver road set for April 26th.

Report of viewers on West Grafton and Hill road adopted and further action dismissed.

A petition was presented for the formation of Duncan School District. Referred to School Superintendent.

Action on report of viewers of West Grafton and Oakvale road No. 2 continued till April 26th. The same order in reference to Kach road.

Auditor directed to draw warrant in favor of county physician for the sum of $45, to be applied to the relief of Jas. Bannister, of this county, at San Luis Obispo Springs.

Order drawn on Contingent Fund in favor of J. W. Tilley for $725 in payment of contract for building Hext Slough bridge.

Duplicate warrant on Woodland School District ordered to be issued in favor of Libby & Sweet, for $756,25, in lieu of one lost.

Clerk was directed to advertise for proposal for building two windmills, one for Court House the other for Hospital.

Clerk authorized to procure an Index for Probate Court and Supervisors Records, and to index proceedings of Probate Court, Court of Sessions, road records, and Supervisors' proceedings from date of organization of the county to this date.

Contract entered into with A. J. Holland to gravel street around Court House block for 75 cents per load, Sheriff to spread the gravel.

Sheriff ordered to procure 200 feet of ¾-inch hose for the use of Court Square.

Adjourned to April 26th.

THEATRICAL.—Miss Zoe Gayton, who, judging from our exchanges, has won golden opinions from the Press and public of California, Nevada and the Eastern States, and who carries with her a splendid presence and appearance, has visited our town accompanied by a full and excellent dramatic company. Among the members of the troupe, we notice several familiar faces. As we have not recently been visited by a first-class company we expect to see full houses on Friday and Saturday nights. We call attention to the advertisement in another colum.

SALE OF A RANCH.—Mr. H. C. Yerby has completed the sale of his ranch of about 800 acres, three miles north of this place, to Mr. B. F. Peart, of San Francisco, for $40 an acre, amounting to $32,000. Mr. Peart also bought a portion of the farm stock including a fine band of sheep at $4 per head. Mr. Peart takes possession in a few days and intends making extensive improvements. Mr. Yerby has not yet determined as to future operations, but we trust he will remain a resident of our county.

FORMER RESIDENT.—Mrs. S. T. Kirk, one of the Colusa ladies who has so kindly volunteered to assist in Prof. Wood's concert on Monday night will be remembered as a former popular music teacher in Hesperian College.

ADVENT MEETINGS.—Elder Waggoner resumed meetings at the Advent Church last evening. He will speak again this evening and on Saturday and Sunday morning and evening.

MAY-DAY PICNIC.—The Turners publish their picnic advertisement in to-days issue, to which we call your attention. They always have a good a time.

FOR MAY PARTIES.—For fancy goods of all kinds suitable for May parties and picnics, go to the White House, where they have a large variety.

NOT A CANDIDATE.—Supervisor Geo. H. Swingle informs us that he is not a candidate for any office whatever, and has determined not to accept any.

One Gambler Kills Another.

On Tuesday last a tragedy occurred in our town—the first in a number of years. Wm. F. Slocum and Ham English have both resided here for some time, and both followed gaming for a livelihood. Slocum was a married man and had one little boy; English is a single man. Both were young, fine-looking men in the prime of life and natives of Oregon, or at least have lived in that State a number of years. Probably a previous acquaintance was the cause of their both settling in the same place. A difficulty arose between them which calminated on Tuesday last by Slocum telling English that he must leave town before four o'clock that day or there would be trouble, intimating that if he did not leave he would kill him, and asked if he was armed. English replied that he was not, but then left and armed himself. They came together again in the afternoon, between four and five o'clock, at Rupley's saloon, both armed with revolvers, and English, it seems from the evidence (which is too voluminous to publish), as soon as he saw Slocum immediately fired at him, the first shot penetrating the breast and proving fatal in a few moments; deceased never spoke after he was shot. We append the verdict of the Coroner's Jury found at the inquest held before County Coroner S. L. Monday, on Wednesday last:

State of California, Town of Woodland, County of Yolo, before S. L. Monday, Coroner, in the matter of the inquisition upon the body of Wm. F. Slocum:

We the undersigned, the jurors summoned to appear before S. L. Monday, the Coroner of this county, at the town of Woodland, on the 13th day of April A. D. 1875, to inquire into the cause of the death of Wm. F. Slocum, having been duly sworn according to law, and having made such inquisition, after inspecting the body and hearing the testimony adduced, upon our oaths, each and all do say that we find the deceased was named Wm. F. Slocum, a native of America, aged about 28 years; that he came to his death on the 13th of April, A. D. 1875, in the county of Yolo, State of California, near the northeast corner of Rupley's saloon, Woodland, from a pistol shot wound, said pistol shot being fired by the hand of one Ham English.

Chris Sieber,	T. P. Magee,
L. S. Elis,	S W. Stollings,
W. B. Gibson,	J. M. Dutton,
C. Barr,	E. L. Clark,
H. Fisher,	F. M. Brown,
L. Deitz,	J. H. Brogan.

The body of deceased was taken to Sacramento by the Coroner on Wednesday.

It seems from the testimony that family troubles had something to do with the difficulty.

But how awful it seems that any man should deliberately take the life of another, even if it be, as is sometimes the case, done in self defence.

English gave himself up to the Sheriff immediately, and of course is in jail awaiting trial. What will be done with him remains to be seen.

Professor Wood's Concert.

Below will be found the best concert programme ever given in this place. It will be sure to draw a full house on Monday night, and more than that, its rendition will surely delight the audience. Everybody that possibly can should be present:

PART FIRST.

1—"Young America Overture," Violin, Cornet and Piano; by J. M. Wood, C.S. Dewey, Mrs. S.T. Kirk.
2—"Anvil Chorus," by the Company; 18 voices.
3—Ballad, "Beautiful Venice," by Emma Spect.
4—Duette—"Beautiful Moonlight," Misses Peek and Saunders.
5—Violin and Piano Duette; Mrs. S. T. Kirk and J. M. Wood.
6—Comic Song, "My Little Wife and I;" E. C. Hart.
7—Vocal Solo, "Good Bye at the Door;" Miss Libbie Saunders.
8—Piano Solo; Mrs. S. T. Kirk.
9—Violin and Piano Duette; Miss Gould and Mrs. Ross.
10—Vocal Duette, "Two Merry Girls;" Miss Spect and Miss George.
11—Vocal Solo, "Ah, I Sigh to Rest Me;" Miss Florence Peek.
12—Piano Solo, "Lucia de Lammermoor;" Miss George.
13—Comic Song, "Dr. Quack;" E. C. Hart.

PART SECOND.

1—Overture.
2—Chorus: "Night Shades No Longer;" by the Company.
3—Vocal Solo; Mrs. S. T. Kirk.
4—Cornet Solo; L. Ellis.
5—Base Solo, "The Jewish Maiden;" J. W. Peek.
6—Vocal Duette, "Moonlight on the Rhine;" Miss Nettie Stone and Jackson Hatch.
7—Comic Song, "True Blue and '72;" E. C. Hart.
8—Piano Solo, "La Sonnambula;" Mrs. S. T. Kirk.
9—Quartette, "Sunrise;" Miss Emma Spect, Miss Nettie Stone, Jackson Hatch and J. B. Danner.
10—Vocal Solo, "I'm a Merry Zingara;" Miss George.
11—Quintette: "We'll have to Mortgage the Farm;" Miss George, Miss Nettie Stone, Miss Emma Spect, Dr. Bundy and J. B. Danner.
12—"Blue Danube Waltz;" Violin, Cornet and Piano; Wood, Ellis and Mrs. Kirk.
13—Comic Song; E. C. Hart.
14—Violin Solo; J. M. Wood.

All this is offered to the public for 50 cents each—children 25 cents.

AN ELEGANT FOUNTAIN.—Mr. J. L. Simpson has just received from Boston J. W. Tuft's Arctic Soda Apparatus, one of the best in the State. It costs $500, and is complete in every particular. In this fountain the syrups, for which there are six faucets are also kept inside, with the ice, so that the soda when drawn will be as cold as the ice itself. If there is a luxury in this warm climate it is a cool, refreshing drink on a hot day. There is also a place in the fountain for ginger beer as well as soda. The cost is heavy, but no doubt the investment will pay well.

RESULTS.—On last Sabbath twelve persons, six males and six females, united with the Advent church. Eight of them were baptised in Cache Creek on Sunday. The other four had previously been immersed by other denominations.

BASE BALL.—A lively and interesting game came off here on Saturday last between the Capital Junior Club, of Sacramento, and the Alert Club, of Woodland, for a purse of thirty dollars. The score is appended below, and it will be seen that the Juniors won by a few points. The score stood—

CAPITALS.	R.	O.	ALERTS.	R.	O.
Hunt	3	4	Howard	3	3
Brier	3	3	Sill	1	2
McKune	4	3	Baird	5	4
Harris	2	6	Garroutte	5	2
Ross	5	3	Beach	3	4
Mitchell	7	1	Fiske	5	2
Childs	5	2	Fisher	4	3
Knox	4	3	Mull	4	3
Grimes	6	1	High	3	4
Total	39	27	Total	34	27

Fly Catches—Capitals—Brier 2, Ross 3, Mitchell 1, Childs 11, Knox 1. Alerts—Howard 3, Baird 2, Beach 1.

Umpire—W. Pendegast, of the Athletics of Woodland.

Scorers—F. H. Moore, of Sacramento and Jas. Franklin, of Woodland.

A home run was made by Harris.

The *Sacramento Agriculturist's* reporter, who accompanied the Juniors, speaks of the game as well contested and of unusual interest.

THE BERRYESSA ROAD.—Berryessa was well represented before our Board of Supervisors at their late meeting, and the matter of constructing the proposed road from the new town of Winters was considered and acted upon with a promptness which does credit to the Board. Viewers and a Surveyor were appointed to examine the route and report on the 26th inst., when further action will doubtless be taken Berryessa Valley produces annually nearly $150,000 worth of grain and other crops. It cost to take its surplus to Napa last year not less than $30,000. With this new road it can be transported to market for less than half that amount, and the trade of her people will come, in the main to Yolo county. Who will say this is not worth striving to obtain? It must be secured by all means.

WHITE HOUSE.—Mr. Alexander desires to call special attention to his new arrivals of carpets—a very large lot—also to his California custom-made boots and shoes, gents' clothing, ladies', misses' and children's straw hats, and Spring and Summer dry goods generally, including fine silks and other styles of fancy dress goods just received. The White House is the largest and best stocked house in town, offering a full variety of all classes of goods.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION.—The T. M. I. S. Club of Sacramento have made arrangements for a select moonlight excursion to Woodland, on Friday evening April 23d, where a grand ball will be given in Washington Hall—music by Church, Jones & Beebe—a band of ten pieces. Admission to ball $1—tickets can be had at the Capital Hotel, where lunch will also be served. The citizens of Woodland are respectfully invited to participate.

LAND AND INSURANCE AGENCY.—Geo. D. Fiske appears in a new card this week. He does a very large business in his line and being connected with Eastern firms is probably doing more to induce immigration to our county than any one else. It will be seen that an immense amount of property is transferred through his agency. He also does a heavy insurance business.

SPELLING MATCH.—We are requested to announce that some parties of this place are making preliminary arrangements for a grand public spelling match to be held in Woodland in a few weeks. Full particulars of the time and place of holding the exercises and of the rules governing them will be announced in due time.

MERCANTILE HOUSE.—We call attention to the new advertisement of Huston Bros., of Knights Landing. They have a very fine stock of Spring and Summer goods which are offered to the public at such rates as should and will induce them to buy largely.

NOT SO BAD.—Since Wednesday the north wind has ceased, and we are getting Sierra breezes with dewy nights. Rain is badly needed in some localities while in others it is not particulary needed.

ON HAND AGAIN.—It will be seen by his card, that Godfrey Gagnon is again prepared to supply the people of Woodland with ice and soda water. He will deliver at private residences if desired.

WINTERS.—Messrs. Mansfield & Theodore, of Vacaville, Mr. Blum, of Dixon, and others are making preparations to erect business houses. The railroad grading is about finished.

COMMERCIAL.—E. R. Bush Esq., lectured Tuesday last before the class in the Business Department of Hesperian College, on Commercial Law. These lectures will be repeated weekly.

REPRESENTATIVES.—At a regular meeting of Woodland Lodge No. 111, I. O. O. F., held April 3d, D. M. Barns and R. B. Mosby were elected Representatives to the Grand Lodge.

EXCURSION TRAIN.—The Odd Fellows have made arrangements for a special train to run from Vaca on the 26th to Woodland and return at a low rate of fare.

PENDEGAST & CO.—We call attention to the new advertisement of H. B. Pendegast & Co., successors to L. Kaminsky & Co. They have a good stock on hand.

FOR SALE.—The stock of goods at the Bazaar is to be sold off at exceedingly low rates for the next thirty days to close the business.

STOCKHOLDERS of the Elkhorn and Cosumnes railroad will meet at the Court House tomorrow (Saturday) at one o'clock.

NEW MUSIC.—We have just been favored by M. Gray, music dealer and publisher, 623 and 625 Clay St., San Francisco, with the following pieces of choice new music:—Louis Bodecker's Geroffe Giroffa Waltz, an eleven-page instrumental piece; Prayer to the Stars, a beautiful song, by Richard Mulder; I Heard a Voice, sacred qaartette—"Blessed are the Dead who die in the Lord"—music by John P. Morgan; Oeuvres Choisies, "Petit Bolero," by Harris Pavigan. These are all first-class pieces published by Mr. Gray, and can be obtained with any other music or musical instruments by ordering from the above address.

ROAD OVERSEER.—W. H. Lusk has been appointed by the Supervisors Road Overseer for the Fourth District.

DON'T fail to read Hudson's boot and shoe advertisement. He evidently means business on a large scale.

GEORGE BENTLEY has returned from his trip to the springs looking and feeling well.

BORN.

In Cacheville, April 12th, to the wife of Henry Adams, a Son.

DIED.

Near Cacheville, April 11th, Virginia A., daughter of Wm. S. Flournoy.

Health the Source of Happiness.

The relaxation of the nervous system, which creates an indisposition to mental or bodily action, is of very frequent occurrence. It is found that a torpid liver, debilitated stomach or deranged bowels are the great causes. For years DR. HENLEY'S CELEBRATED I. X. L. BITTERS has been successfully used throughout the United States, as an unfailing restorative and health-giving medicine—restoring and invigorating those organs to their original strength. It has never failed to restore to health and reinvigorate the whole system. Dyspepsia, indigestion and loss of appetite, general debility, rheumatism, fever and ague, disappear with its use. As a medicine for diseases arising from impure or impoverished blood, it is without an equal. They are composed of an absolutely pure diffusive stimulant, medicated with the extracts and juices of the most effective tonic, and will prove a safeguard against the attacks of dispepsia and liver complaint. ap16-3m

A Sound Health Maxim.

"Order is heaven's first law." This great maxim applies with peculiar force to the discharge of the vital functions. Disease inevitably supervenes upon physical irregularity, just as calamity is sure to follow want of system and punctuality in the affairs of life. But while it is next to impossible to overcome settled mental habits of disorder, it is quite feasible to remedy habitual irregularities of the body. Discipline the unruly organs by wise and timely medication, and health will be established upon a permanent basis. Although there are many remedies prescribed for this purpose, there is not one among them can compare in directness and promptitude of action with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. For every disorder affecting the bowels, liver and stomach, and for the numerous sympathetic nervous ailments to which alimentary or billious disturbances give rise, the Bitters are a most reliable specific. Their wondrous efficacy is attributable to the fact that they first remove the cause of such maladies, irregularity, and then by their tonic operation repair the loss of physical substance produced by sickness. Constipation, billiousness, dyspepsia, heartburn, sleeplessness, intermittent fevers, rheumatism and nervous tremors always succumb to the operation of this safe and potent medicine. A regular habit of body, a good appetite, sound sleep and easy digestion are among the blessings which its use confers. It invigorates, relieves depression of mind, and by promoting complete assimilation, materially assists in covering the angles and hollow places of an emaciated, shrunken frame with firm, healthy flesh. ap2

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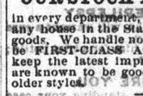

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The Yolo Democrat.

Friday, April 16th, 1875.

Bear Thy Cross.

BY JANE M. READ.

When thy burden presses heavy,
And thy heart is worn and faint,
Take thy cross up meekly, Christian;
Lift it up, make no complaint.

But remember, pressing onward,
Up the toilsome, weary road,
If thou'lt cast it on thy Saviour,
He will take the heavy load.

Murmur not, when long and lonely
Seems the pathway here below;
'Tis a cross to bear for Jesus,
Canst thou not receive it so?

If thy flowers have thorns beneath them,
If they fade away and die,
Murmur not, for their Creator
Made them so, and knoweth why.

If thy friends are taken from thee,
Though thy heart has loved them true,
It can bear the cross for Jesus,
Giving only what is due.

When the hearts that best thou lovest,
With a love more pure than gold,
Trusting, watchful, ever tender,
In return grow stern and cold.

Though the heart may sink within thee,
Worthless seem the world and vain,
One there is who changeth never;
Take thy cross, do not complain.

In the garden, dark and gloomy,
Once the blessed Son of God
Suffered bitter pangs of anguish,
And His life-blood stained the sod.

Once a heavy cross He carried;
Once upon that cross He hung;
Sweet the words that reach us, falling
From our loving Savior's tongue.

"Take the cross and follow after,"—
These the words we hear Him speak,—
"Lift it, and I'll help thee bear it;
Well I know that thou art weak.

"When thy crosses all are taken,
I will give thee mansions fair,
And a crown of glory radiant,
Conqueror's palm thy hands shall bear."

General Items.

Of these 221,042 teachers in the country 127,713 are women.

Millions of geese are destroying the pasture around Maine Prairie.

There were $1,142,289 35 in the State Treasury on the 1st instant.

The immigrants overland, for the year ending April 1st foot up 34,000.

Fifty thousand dollars in specie was shipped from London to New York on Thursday.

A fire originated in Nos. 57 and 59 Worth street, New York, causing a loss of $320,000.

Queen Emma, of the Sandwich Isands, is said to have "the most beautiful eyes in the world."

Dan Bryant, the well known negro minstrel, died in New York on Saturday, of pneumonia.

After the close of this month Sacramento will be the terminus of the immigrant travel from the East.

The Napa *Register* reports the death of the mother of Supervisor Safely, at the advanced age of 103 years.

Gov. Joseph Francis, of the Passamaquoddy tribe of Indians, in Maine, is dead, at the great age of 110 years.

The *Democrat* states that over one hundred houses are under contract to be erected in Sant Rosa next summer.

The Hon. E. B. Washburne, American Minister at Paris, is reported to have withdrawn from the Presidential canvass.

All of Boss Tweed's property in New York and vicinity has been seized by the City Government, to make good his stealings.

You can enjoy the luxury of a ride from Chicago to Baltimore in a Pullman palace car, all for the insignificant sum of $10 in greenbacks.

A fine marble statue of St. John at the age of fourteen, believed to be the production of Michael Angelo, has been unearthed at Pisa.

The population of St. Louis is 490,000. The increase in population since the census is fifty-seven per cent., or more than ten per cent. yearly.

A Canadian paper lately recorded the death of a young woman in Tilsonburg, caused by the habit of sleeping with her tightly-laced corsets on.

There is reason to hope that the first impressions concerning the extent of the damage to the fruit crop by the late frosts were exaggerated.

During March the number of through passengers from the East coming into this State, on the trains of the Central Pacific, was 6,051 while 1,058 went East.

Fifty bales of superior cotton were shipped to San Francisco from Shearman's ranch, Colusa county, on Tuesday. It is thought this year's crop will reach 500 bales.

Johnson and Booth are both old Democrats, and seem disposed in most important matters to act with that party. Though they declare they will not be hempered by party collors.

They have had a spelling match at Carson City. Miss Hodgkinson, a teacher in the public school, floored the whole town and then wept because she could not find fresh words to conquer.

The walking match between Daniel O'Leary, of Chicago, and John Dewitt, of New York, 100 miles, for $1,000, was won by O'Leary, who completed the distance in 23 hours, 58 minutes, and 14 seconds.

The Virginia *Chronicle* says not a day passes but the well to do residents of Virginia are visited by men who beg them for a meal of victuals. There are four or five thousand idle men now in the city.

The time for the State Fair for 1875 has been appointed. It will commence on Wednesday, September 15th, and extend to Saturday September 25th. It will be noticed the duration of the Fair has been extended.

There is no disposition on the part of the members of the Administration party to deny that the result of the Connecticut election is a very great surprise and entirely different from what they expected.

Jesse Sheppard is a vocalist who has been attracting attention in Washington. His voice is said not to be human at all, but to come from a deep mellow bass to a soprano like two sudernatural voices in one.

The Marysville *Appeal* says the fruit prospect in that section was never more promising. Cherry-plums, cherries and apricots are growing rapidly, and the peach and apple crop will be large. Plums are thin.

The advocates of the recognition of God in our National Constitution intend to hold a national convention at Philadelphia during the Centennial celebration, in order to emphasize the dependence of our material national growth on Divine favor.

New Hampshire has three Congressmen and Connecticut four. In the last Congress six of them were Republicans and one a Democrat. In the next Congress it will be about reversed, and the Democrats will have five while the Republicans will have but two.

The Colusa *Sun* complains of a lack of roads in that county. In many of the most important districts there are no roads whatever, and people traveling through these portions of the country are obliged to wind around grain fields and over summerfallowed ground.

The English army, excluding non-efficients in reserve forces comprises 161,000 volunteers, 12,500 yeomanry calvalry, 118,000 militia, and 186,821 regulars. Of these last there are 98, 912 distributed throughout the colonies, 63,850 stationed in India, and 100,050 at home. No returns are given of the native and colonial troops.

The tenant farmers of England are assessed for an income tax upon a basis of £80,000,000 per annum, and the entire rental value of agricultural land is about £140,000,000. The capital represented by the agricultural interest is over £300,000,000, a sum exceeding the British national debt.

Ben. Butler says the Civil Rights bill does not give a colored man the right to go into a drinking saloon without permission from the proprietor, and that a barber shop is a private business, with which the law does not interfere. Here is more trouble. Will the colored man ever get his rights?

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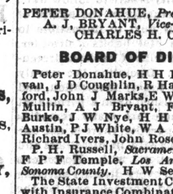

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The Bachelor's Sarprise.

BY JEANNIE.

Once on a time a bachelor friend,
Being weary with his labor,
At close of day did wend his way,
To call upon a neighbor.

Scarce had he stepped within the door,
When met his eyes a vision,
Which made his heart to beat and start
With feelings all elysian.

For, right before his face and eyes,
He saw a lady writing;
A maiden fair, with dark brown hair,
A sight to him inviting.

Not that he loved this maiden fair—
He scorned the tender passion—
But playing jokes on other folks
Was often this man's fashion.

So, stepping lightly o'er the floor,
He, in position tragic,
Stood waiting there behind her chair;
She turned, when, as by magic,

The tragic attitude was changed
Full quickly for another;
What great surprise doth greet his eyes,
It is the maiden's mother!

Old Times on the Mississippi.

There used to be an excellent pilot on the river, a Mr. X., who was a somnambulist. It was said that if his mind were troubled about a bad piece of river, he was pretty sure to get up and walk in his sleep and do strange things. He was once fellow pilot for a trip or two with George E——, on a great New Orleans passenger packet. During a considerable part of the first trip George was uneasy, but got over it by and by, as X seemed content to stay in his bed when asleep. Late one night the boat was approaching Helena, Arkansas; the water was low, and the crossing above the town in a very blind and tangled condition. X. had seen the crossing since E—— had, and as the night was particularly drizzly, sullen and dark, E—— was considering whether he had not better have X. called to assist in running the place, when the door opened and X. walked in. Now, on very dark nights light is a deadly enemy to piloting; you are aware that if you stand in a lighted room, on such a night, you cannot see things in the street to any purpose; but if you put out the lights and stand in the gloom you can make out objects in the street pretty well. So, on very dark nights, pilots do not smoke; they allow no fire in the pilot-house stove if there is a crack that will allow the least ray to escape; they order the furnaces to be curtained with huge tarpaulins and the skylights to be closely blinded. Then no light whatever issues from the boat. The undefinable shape that entered the pilot-house had Mr. X.'s voice. This said,—

"Let me take her, Mr. E——; I've seen this place since you have, and it is so crooked that I reckon I can run it myself easier than I could tell you how to do it."

"It is kind of you, and I swear I am willing. I haven't got another drop of perspiration left in me. I have been spinning around and around the wheel like a squirrel. It is so dark I can't tell which way she is swinging till she is coming around like a whirligig."

So E—— took a seat on the bench, panting and breathless. The black phantom assumed the wheel without saying anything, steadied the waltzing steamer with a turn or two, and then stood at ease, coaxing her a little to this side and then to that, as gently and as sweetly as if the time had been noonday. When E—— observed this marvel of steering, he wished he had not confessed! He stared and wondered, and finally said,—

"Well I thought I knew how to steer a steamboat, but that was another mistake of mine."

X. said nothing, but went serenely on with his work. He rang for the leads; he rang to slow down the steam; he worked the boat slowly and neatly into invisible marks, then stood at the center of the wheel and peered blandly out into the blackness, fore and aft, to verify his position; as the leads shoaled more and more, he stopped the engines entirely, and the dead silence and suspense of "drifting" followed; when the shoalest water was struck, he cracked on the steam, carried her handsomely over, and then began to work her warily into the next system of shoal marks, drifted tediously until the shoalest water was cried, and then, under tremendous head of steam, went swinging over the reef and away into deep water and safety!

E—— let his long-pent breath pour out in a great relieving sigh and said:

"That's the sweetest bit of piloting that was ever done on the Mississippi River! I wouldn't believed it could be done, if I hadn't see it."

There was no reply and he added:

"Just hold her five minutes longer, partner, and let me run down and get a cup of coffee."

A minute later E—— was biting into a pie down in the "texas," and comforting himself with coffee. Just then the night-watchman happened in, and was about to happen out again, when he noticed E—— and exclaimed,—

"Who is at the wheel, sir?"

"X."

"Dart for the pilot-house quicker than lightning!"

The next moment both men were flying up the pilot-house companion way, three steps at a jump! Nobody there! The great steamer was whistling down the middle of the river at her own sweet will! The watchman shot out of the place again; E—— seized the wheel, set an engine back with power, and held his breath while the boat reluctantly swung away from a "towhead" which she was about to knock into the middle of the Gulf of Mexico!

By and by the watchman came back and said,—

"Didn't that lunatic tell you he was asleep when he first came up here?"

"No."

"Well, then, he was. I found him walking along on top of the railings just as unconcerned as another man would walk a pavement; and I put him to bed; now just this minute there he was again, away astern, doing that sort of tight-rope deviltry the same as before."

"Well, I think I'll stay by next time he has one of those fits. But I hope he'll have them often. You just ought to have seen him take this boat through Helena crossing. I never saw anything so gaudy before. And if he can do such gold-leaf, kid-glove, diamond-breastpin piloting when he is sound asleep, what *couldn't* he do if he was dead!"—*Mark Twain in Atlantic Monthly.*

The Lost Children.

Born, as the writer was, in sight of "John Brown's Tract," on the farther and eastern edge of his memory there are incidents of strange excitement. One summer afternoon the Rev. John Blodgett was preaching his second sermon, when a man stepped quickly in at the door, and said, "Two children are lost!" The elder halted in the midst of a sentence, laid off his coat, and with a "Come brethren and friends, it is everybody's business to seek and save that which is lost," down he came out of the pulpit, and the able-bodied in the congregation followed him out into the sunshine, like sheep that know their shepherd. A few short words told the story.

Two little children, brother and sister, had gone out on Saturday morning to pick berries. Night came, but not the children; and I think that of all nights in the week, a Saturday night without the gathered household is the most lonely and dismal. A few of the neighbors had gone out with lanterns and horns and guns and the mother had accompanied them, and had beaten up the adjacent woods, and had worn out the weary night, and the Sabbath dawned upon eyes dry with nameless fear and hearts bitter with anguish. Many a time during the dark hours had some lantern's deceptive ray fallen upon a pile of leaves half covering some broken limb, and a shout of "Found!" had only plunged them into deeper sorrow. And so the Sunday shone out, until a messenger came to the village and gave the general alarm.

The campaign was soon organized. Nearly two hundred men were enlisted, and the plan was to attack a certain piece of woods, marching up to it in extended line, at such distances apart as to command the whole space between every two, and so fairly harvest the ground of anything upon it of human interest. Guns were distributed, and the order was that no cry should be raised, no piece discharged, but all move in silence; that, should the children be found, one gun should be fired; if dead, two; if alive, three in quick succession. But they were not men alone who joined the merciful brigade, but mothers and springy girls, and they proved the most observant and vigilant of all, for nothing so quickly sharpens a woman's wits as love and grief. And so they set forth. The boy of that day remembers the scene as if it were now before his eyes. Groups of the infirm, the women and the children, spotted the picture like a leopard's skin. The tones were subdued, there was a listening, longing look on every face. Some of them followed out to the edge of the village and stood and listened. The settlement could not have been stiller had it been a deserted graveyard instead of the abode of the living.

The shadows were traveling eastwardly. The sun showed a golden rim over the western hills and was gone. The stars came peacefully out over the whole heaven, as if there was no such thing as grief in the universe. Nine o'clock and no signal. Eleven, and not a shout. Midnight, but no gun. The slow clocks ticked slower. Stars went down one after another, and those who tarried grew paler. There was a suspicion of dawn above the woods. And then, far off, faint and yet certain, there was a report. The line came to an instant halt. The lifted foot was let down softly upon the fallen leaves, lest there should be a second sound and they should miss it, and so be wrong in the count. A half minute and another signal. "Found and dead," so far they read. Was that all? Was the story completely told? It is at such times that we think fast. The electric flash is a dull traveler beside a swift thought. A few seconds and a third gun broke the stillness and cut the tense cord of suspense and let human nature down, tearful, grateful, overcome. "Found and alive!" was the story the rifles told; and then arms ticked like clocks along the line and shouts rang as if an army had won a victory and floated into a clearing, and reached the watching, waiting, sleepless village, and they took up the cheer, and men broke down in the midst of it, and women hid their faces and sobbed. Then back they came, the glad brigade, in the gray of the morning, with their dim lanterns and their smoky torches and their rifles in their hands, bearing the wanderers, feeble, but alive and unharmed, stained with berries but not with blood. —*B. F. Taylor.*

THE PINEAPPLE.—The history of the pineapple dates back for three or four centuries. Columbus found it on the Island of Guadeloupe in 1492. The Japanese cultivated it as early as 1599, and it is supposed that it was first brought to Europe from Java. It appears that this fruit was transplanted from South America to Asia and Africa; for, in 1592, it was carried to Bengal and China from that country. It thrived in Brazil, and, according to Humboldt, grows wild in the forest of Orinoco. They spoil very easily, and sometimes during the voyage here the whole cargo of a vessel is spoiled. It is considered a good trip if three-quarters of the cargo is in good condition when the vessel arrives. This depends not only upon the length of the voyage, but also upon the bad weather experienced, thunder showers being particularly destructive to them. It is estimated that four million two hundred thousand pineapples are brought into New York annually. The business of canning this fruit is becoming quite extensive, and likewise profitable in this city, and several firms are engaged in this preparation, and they put up at least a million pineapples in cans every year.

FORNEY says that everybody in France drinks wine, and intoxication is something he has not seen.

A Schoolmaster Around Loose.

Four or five days ago a man about forty years of age, looking as if he had been drawn over a dusty floor for an hour or two, called upon one of the members of the Board of Education and introduced himself as William Cannon Harrison, of Saginaw county. He was politely received, and he commenced business by saying:

"I'm a-looking for a situation as a school-teacher."

"Ah, ha!" replied the member, wondering why the man wasn't looking for a wood-pile.

"I could have brought a pile of recommends so high," continued the man, measuring with his hands, "but recommends don't amount to nothing."

"And have you any school in view?" asked the member.

"I want to get in here, in Detroit," replied the man. "What wages do you pay?"

"I'm afraid——" began the member, when the schoolmaster interrupted:

"Oh! well, I s'pose you pay going wages, and that's all I can ask for. I don't want to put on style and live high, as I'm getting a leetle old and ought to save money."

"As I was going to remark——," said the member, when the schoolmaster suddenly inquired:

"Do they allow licking in the schools here? If they do, I'm the man you want to dress the boys down! I've had 'em come for me by the dozen, and it would do your heart good to see the way I laid 'em! Why, when I had that school in Bay county I thought nothing of licking thirty scholars a day, besides hearing twelve classes recite! I'm an old screamer, I tell you, and there's fun in me when you get me woke up!"

"I hardly think—" commenced the member again, when the schoolmaster jumped up and said:

"Of course you won't take me unless I pass examination, but I hain't afraid of not passing. I'd like to see a word I couldn't spell! For instance: 'Catarrh: 'C-a-t-a-r-r-h' — catarrh.' 'Dandelion:' 'D-a-n-d-e-l-i-o-n, dandelion,' or try me on words of four syllables. 'Lugubrious:' L-u-g-u-b-r-i-o-u-s, lugubrious.' Oh! I can knock the socks right off'n these swell-head teachers and not half try!"

"I should like to help you," but——"

"Oh! you needn't think I'm behind in geography," interrupted the teacher. "For instance: What is an isthmus? An isthmus is a narrow strip of land connecting two larger bodies. Is the world round or flat? Round. Why is it round? Because it is. Which is the largest river in the world? The Amazon. Which is the highest mountain? The Andes. I might go on for seventy-five days this way, and then not tell you half I know!"

"You seem to be pretty well posted in geography, but as I wanted to tell——"

"And on grammar too!" exclaimed the teacher, jumping up again. "What is a noun? A noun is the name of any person, place or thing. Give us an example: Man, dog, cat, coon, goat, jack-knife, fish-hook, gate-post. What are the principal conjunctions? And, as, both, because, for, if, that, or, nor, neither, either, and so forth. Oh! I'm right on the roof of the meeting-house when you sling grammar at me!"

The member was getting desperate, and as soon as he could get in a word he said:

"I will take your name, and as soon as a vacancy——"

"And I know arithmetic from cover to cover!" exclaimed the man, standing up again. "I can go through the tables like lightning through a haystack, and when you get to fractions and cube-root I'm awful—I weigh a ton and a half and still growing! 'Rithmetic's my favorite study, and I'll give you fifty dollars to find a man who'll saw sums in two and plane 'em down as quickly as I can!"

His speech took the wind out of him, and the member managed to say there was no vacancy at present, but he would take his name and consider his case as soon as one occurred:

"I'd like to commence right off!" replied the man, "but I'm willing to wait. Here's my name, and the minit I get your letter I'll come down a-flying. If you get me you don't get much style, but you get solid old common sense and genuine education. You won't see scholars playing hide-and-coop around the wood-box or marbles on the floor—no you won't!"

And he went down stairs.

FAITHFUL TO THE LAST.—There is something very beautiful and touching in the fidelity with which Dr. Livingstone's servants clung to him in his travels and sufferings. Three of those with him at his death had followed him for nine years, sharing his dangers, ministering to him in sickness, and rejoicing in his successes. Nor did their love cease at his death. They were hundreds of miles from the sea-coast. Between them and Dr. Livingstone's English friends were swollen rivers to be forded, deserts to be crossed, mountains to be climbed, and savage tribes thirsting for blood. These poor servants might have been forgiven if they had quietly buried their dead master, with his papers, and consulted their own safety. But, with a true nobility, they thought more of him and his wishes than of themselves. They resolved to carry his body back to his friends for burial, and to deliver all his papers and journals to those who would put them to good use. In the face of difficulties almost unseparable they carried out their plan, and the world owes a debt of gratitude to these loving and true colored servants. All of Dr. Livingstone's journals during the seven years of his last absence have been preserved by their fidelity.

GREAT trees have been found in Australia which exceed the giants of California in height, though not in circumference. One fallen tree in Victoria measured 420 feet in length, and another 480; while the highest yet discovered in California reach only 450 feet, the average being from 300 to 400.

Punch proposes as a sweet and silvery title for a city love song, "Emma Mine! Emma Mine!"

HOUSEHOLD.

Bathing.

The *Sanitary Journal* says: "Almost all living nature bathes after some fashion or another; the cleansing and invigorating of the vegetable and animal kingdoms by the dew and the rain, are but modifications of the bath. Bathing was enforced as a religious duty by the Jewish and also by Mahometan laws; frequent ablutions were made to form part of their religious rites. Among the Greeks and Romans, bathing became a most luxurious pastime. In Russia, the vapor bath is in general use, from the Emperor to the poorest serf. Dr. Clark informs us that throughout all Finland, Lapland, Sweden and Norway, there is not a hut so destitute as not to possess its family bath, to which every member of the family resorts every Saturday at least, and every day in case of illness. The use of the bath is equally general in Turkey, Persia and Egypt, among all classes from the Pasha down to the camel-driver and Arab boatman."

In the variable climate, like ours, once a week is often enough to bathe in the winter, and it is doubtful whether bathing at all during the cold months is attended with advantages. People of delicate constitutions are so liable to cold that to take a bath is to get a cold. Of course the fault is not in the bath. We were witness to a case of a guest of the Astor House whose Turkish Bath made him a raving madman, that could be held down in his bed only by the strength of three men. He had taken cold by exposure too soon after using the bath. Children are unmercifully and cruelly treated, often killed by forcing them into a fub of water when they were crying and struggling to resist it, by doing which the perspiration became checked, producing convulsions and disease. We know of a lady, now eighty-three, a case reported in the *Scientific American*, some years ago, who attributed her long life and health to being exempt from bathing. Of seven children, who were bathed every day, all of them dying with the same disease, she by mere circumstance escaped the bath in early childhood to ripen and mature to healthful old age. Children when bathed should be put into water warm enough to give comfort; but as these matters are attended to by nurses, better let the child be cleansed with a wet sponge, and rubbed dry briskly, by which no danger will be incurred from ignorance and laziness.

CARE OF TABLE KNIVES.—Table knives should be thoroughly cleaned or polished at least once a day, and the best time, perhaps, is after dinner, as then the morning's work is finished or ought to be, and more time may be given; and secondly, if circumstances have not allowed getting a second or tea set, these will be in good condition always when company comes.

The best material for scouring that I have found is soft brick, such as may be purchased at the stores, used with a flannel rag, and a little soft soap if the blades are in a bad condition. A small potato with one end cut off is good for this purpose, as it furnishes sufficient moisture and the juice assists in removing stains.

Where the knives have got rusty by neglect rub the blades over thoroughly with sweet oil; allow this to remain as long as possible, a day or so at least, then rub the steel with finely powdered unslaked lime or pumice stone. To keep them from rusting when not in daily use, dry them thoroughly and roll up in a flannel cloth and keep in a dry place.

HOW TO BREATHE.—Civilized man is the *only* being that breathes through the mouth, which at once shows that it is an unnatural and acquired habit. The wild Indian would as soon think of eating with the nose as of breathing thus. The habit is usually acquired in childhood, and is generally the result of breathing impure air. It is then that the fond mother should guard her offspring with watchful care against this insidious and deadly enemy of her child. Let her follow the example of the wild Indian mother, and give her child the pure air of heaven to breathe, and if perchance it opens its little mouth during sleep, let her gently press its lips together, until the habit of keeping them closed becomes fixed for life.—*Science of Health.*

MENDING WITH PLASTER.—If you have a crack in the wall in the corner of the room or any where else, do not send for the plasterer, but get five or six cents worth of plaster of Paris, wet with cold water, then take your finger and rub it into the crevice till it is smooth. Bad nail holes in the wall can be done in the same way. Should the top of your lamp become loose, take it off and wash it with soap, wash the glass also, then put the plaster round the glass, put the brass top on again, let it stand until hardened, and it is ready for use again. A lamp should never be filled quite full as the kerosene softens the plaster.

HOW TO MAKE A GOOD SERVANT.—Let the mistress of the house take two pounds of the very best self-control, a pound and a half of patience, a pound and a half of justice, a pound of consideration, and a pound of discipline. Let this be sweetened with charity, let it simmer well, and let it be taken daily or (in extreme cases) in hourly doses, and be kept always on hand. Then the domestic wheel will turn quite smoothly.—*Woman's Journal.*

HEALTH HINTS.—One of the most important things to be considered in dress is the careful covering of the chest and back. Exposing the lungs by inadequate shielding of these portions of the body from cold is too generally practiced, especially by ladies. To cover the chest alone is not enough. There should be a covering between the shoulders.

SORE THROAT. Dress the neck as lightly as possible, consistently with comfort; bathe the neck every morning with cold water, and gurgle the mouth every evening with cold water.

A PERSON may be judged by the company he keeps.

The Port Jervis Flood.

A correspondent of the New York *Sun* says: The first approach at this place of the ice flood, which was so destructive throughout the Delaware Valley, yesterday and the day before, was discovered by Supervisor Nearpau, L. G. Rose and James Buchanan about 7 o'clock yesterday morning. They went up along the Sparrow-bush road to the camp ground, and thence to Rose's tavern, about two miles from here. The road runs close to the edge of the river bank, which between Rose's and the camp ground is eight feet above the river, a quarter of a mile. It then rises to fifteen feet high. Between seven and eight o'clock they noticed that the river was rising very fast. Looking up stream they saw, half a mile above, a wall of ice as high as the river banks moving down toward them. The ice in the river where they were began heaving upward, and was soon almost up to the road. The advancing flood from above was throwing cakes of ice high in the air and hurling them over the banks on either side. It was plain to the three spectators that unless they could put the quarter of a mile of low ground between them and the flood of ice they would be cut off from communication with Port Jervis.

They instantly jumped in their sleigh. Buchanan put his horses on a dead run. The ice had now raised above the bank, and great cakes began to fall in the road behind the sleigh. The ice moved with such velocity that the running horses could not increase the distance between it and the sleigh. Before half the distance was accomplished the ice received new impetus from the wave from above, which had overtaken the smaller flood. Buchanan saw the ice gaining on him. He plied the whip at every jump and his horses almost flew. When they came to the foot of the hill, which carries the road to higher ground, there was less than a yard's space between the sleigh and the ice. The occupants of the rear seat jumped forward, expecting that the sleigh would be crushed beneath the pursuing ice. The higher bank was reached in saftey, however. For half a mile the flood kept abreast of them. Now and then a cake of ice would be thrown over the top of the bank, falling sometimes within a foot of the sleigh. When they came to the hill beyond Buckley's, on the outskirts of Germantown, the river for some distance leaving the road, they felt that they had escaped the flood. What was their dismay, when looking off to the right, to see that the ice had been stopped in the channel of the river, and was making a new one through a gulley across Buckley's flat, and was rapidly approaching them at a point a hundred yards ahead of the sleigh. The distance to be made by both sleigh and ice to pass that point was about equal. Buchanan knew that he must make a last effort to outstrip the flood. Putting the whip to his horse the race was renewed. The sleigh passed the disputed point not more than a yard ahead of the ice, which a second afterward rushed across the road and carried destruction into Germantown.

A DOUBTER.—There was a man who lived in Cass county, Georgia, many years ago, who had once been in the State Legislature, and never neglected an opportunity to emphasize the fact. He was a perfect infidel as to new discoveries and new science, being perfectly satisfied that if the world should happen to turn over, the water would spill out of his well, and only giving it to steam cars by slow degrees. But all the vials of his contempt were poured out upon the idea of a telegraph, and he was wont to say that nobody could come "the green" over him in that way, for he had been in the Legislature.

Finally the State road was built, and one fine day workmen began to put up telegraph posts right in front of the house and also to stretch wire. His exultant neighbors thought they had him on that occasion and said:—

"Well, old fellow, what do you think of telegraph now?"

He was completely cornered, but died game. Drawing himself up an inch taller, he said:

"Gentlemen, when I had the honor of being in the Legislature I gave this subject my very attentive consideration, and I said then as I say now, that it may do for letters and small bundles, but it will never take a common bale, never!"

A REMARKABLE DOG STORY.—This story is told us by a gentleman who says its truth is vouched for by witnesses of undoubted veracity: Some years ago, while Mr. Hamilton was fishing near the lower rapids of the Mississippi, just above the Keokuk, he observed below him a man bailing out a canoe, preparatory to taking himself, wife and baby across the river. At the same time Mr. H. saw that his Newfoundland dog was watching the proceedings of the party. Seeming to comprehend their intention, the dog uttered a peculiar howl, and passing rapidly up the river for some distance, plunged into the water and swam diagonally down, landing on a large rock standing out of the water about midway of the stream. After shaking the water from his shaggy coat, he again watched the party, who in the meantime had embarked in the canoe. Just as the little boat passed the rock, it was caught in the rapidly descending current, and instantly capsized. The woman, in falling into the water, loosed her hold on the child, which floated down the stream. The man caught his wife and waded with her to the rock. The instant the child fell into the water the dog leaped in, and in a short time was seen in the still water below swimming with the child in his mouth, which he carried in safety to the shore.

THE name of Richard Atchison receives honorable mention twice in the same issue of the *Danville (Ill.) Commercial*. First his name appears under the heading of "Divorces Granted," and again under "Marriage Licenses." After a man has once been through the mill, he requires no such time as three weeks for courting.

AN Alabama colored parent has named his daughter Heterogenius.

COMMON pleas—please shut the door.

FARM AND GARDEN.

Undeveloped Fruits of America.

Professor Asa Grey said in a recent address on this subject: "A few wild fruits may be mentioned which manifestly have great capabilities, that may or may not be developed in the future. The leading instances, in my mind, are the Persimmon and the Pawpaw; not the true Pawpaw, of course, which we have in Florida, but the Asia Minor, or Western Pawpaw so called. Both Persimmons and Pawpaws are freely offering from spontaneous seedlings, incipient choicer varieties to be selected from both fruit when only a few years old, thereby accelerating the fixation of selected varieties into races; and both give fruits of types wholly distinct from any others we possess of temperate climates. He that has not tasted a Kaki has no conception of the capabilities of the Diospyrus genius. The Custard Apples of the West Indies give some idea of what might be made of our Pawpaw when ameliorated by cultivation and close selection for several generations. I have understood that one of the veteran pomologists of the country, Dr. Kirtland, of Ohio, a good while ago initiated a course of experiments on the Pawpaw in this regard; it would be well to know with what success, and whether the breeding and selection have been continued through successive generations.

"Our American plums have for many years been in some sort of cultivation, and have improved upon the wild forms; but I suppose they have not been systematically attended to. Their exterior liability to black knot and other attacks renders them, for the present, unsuccessful.

"Finally, if pomology includes nuts, there is a promising field uncultivated. Our wild chestnuts are sweeter than those of the old world; it would be well to try whether races might not be developed with the nuts as large as maroons or Spanish chestnuts, and without diminution of flavor. If we were to be easily satisfied with a mere choice between spontaneous hickory nuts, we might have much better and thinner shelled ones. Varying, as they do, excessively in the thickness of the shell and the size and flavor of the kernel, they are inviting your attention, and promising to reward your care. The Peccan is waiting to have the bitter matter between the kernel bred out; the butternuts and black walnuts to have their excess of oil turned into farinaceous and sugary matter, and their shells thinned and smoothered by continued good breeding; when they will much surpass the European walnut."

This is in the right direction. Let Hygienists take the lead and bring out new and better fruits and nuts instead of bigger hogs.

Cause of a Trotting Horse "Breaking."

A correspondent of *Turf, Field and Farm*, promulgates the following theory as to the cause of a horse "breaking" when trotting: I have considered this subject for a long time and have observed horses of all ages, and have arrived at a theory which I am almost satisfied is the true one. Some experienced horsemen say that a horse in his effort to respond to the whip overbalances himself and is forced to break to prevent himself from falling. I am satisfied that this cannot be true, for if it were a horse would very often stumble when he broke; but a horse in the act of breaking does not stumble; on the contrary he flares up with a plunge and seems to lose control of the movements of his legs for a few moments. Some first class trainers, again, will tell you that a horse, when trotting very fast, loses confidence in himself and breaks from fear of striking himself. Now if this were the case, the horse would hitch and go awkwardly from the moment he was forced into a fast gait.

My theory is that the power of trotting fast, lies more in the brain than in the muscle. And, when a horse under the excitement of a whip increases his speed above a certain point, his brain becomes unable to keep up with the rapid continuous motion of the muscles. He loses control of himself. He is unable to put his legs where he wants them, and he goes into a gallop because that gait requires little or no exertion of the brain. I am almost satisfied in my own mind that I have hit on the right theory, and that no horse should be so handled as not to lose confidence in his ability to do the work required of him.

ENDURANCE OF EASTERN HORSES.—Australian horses, unprepared, unshod and uncared for, are in the constant habit of performing forty, fifty or even sixty miles a day, when on a journey over roads or through the wild native bush without even a track. Their food consists of what they can pick up for themselves, in many cases when tethered to prevent their straying, and their grooming in having the rough mud rubbed off with a bunch of grass; but they have at least one advantage over poor *Curadoc* in being allowed to ease and rest their limbs in whatever manner they choose during the night. It is stated on the authority of Abdel-Kader, that Arab horses will travel for three or four months at the rate of over fifty miles a day without showing fatigue, and are capable of doing 150 miles in a single day during the journey, if treated with care and quietly ridden the next. Some years ago an Arab, only fourteen hands one inch high, was ridden in India 400 miles in five days for a bet; and its owner offered to repeat the feat after one days rest. This offer, however, was not accepted, as the game little horse won the match the first time with the greatest ease.—*Land and Water.*

LOVERS of house plants will be sorry to learn that the oleander is a dangerous plant. But so it is. Children have been poisoned by eating the flower petals; cattle have been killed by browsing on the foliage; a single drop it is said, of the milky acrid juice that exudes when a twig or leaf is broken off is sufficient to produce the death of an infant. The odor exhaled from the blossoms is also deleterious to the health. These are sufficient reasons, beautiful as the shrub is, for banishing it from the house and garden.

Icebergs in the Atlantic.

The New York *Herald* says: In the chronicles of modern navigators no record is to be found of such scenes in the North Atlantic Ocean as those witnessed by the passengers and crew of the Hamburg steamship *Cambria*, recently arrived at this port. Icebergs and fields of ice of unprecedented extent have been discovered lying directly in the track of all European vessels plying to the United States. On the 10th of March this vessel sailed from Hamburg, having on board 482 passengers and the German mails. She called at Havre on the 13th, taking 1,500,000 francs in gold from French merchants. The steamship with her precious freight turned westward, and everything went well until the afternoon of the 18th, when a shapeless, glistening mass was seen rising above the horizon, a little to the southward of the vessel's course. It was then three o'clock, and in a moment all the passengers rushed to the upper deck amid cries of "Icebergs ahead!" Slowly the dim glacier loomed up before them, and in a short time it stood directly to the left. It was an iceberg, a miniature island, diversified by curved outlines of formation and bold with edges of ragged shape. Its height was about 350 feet, in depth below the surface it must have been nearly half a mile; it was 400 feet in length, and covered a surface area of seven acres. High above the upper surface rose a solitary pile of the frozen mass, resembling the ruined tower of a castle on the Rhine. Its location was in latitude 45 deg., 35 min. north, longitude (from Greenwich) 46 deg. and 27 min. west. The steamer did not venture nearer to it than three miles. The awe with which the untutored passengers witnessed the floating berg, with its glistening summit and snow-girt sides, gave way to a much intenser and less comfortable feeling not long afterward. After the sun went down, and just as the moon rose, at about eight o'clock, another scene presented itself on the bosom of the surrounding sea. The whole surface for miles ahead, and on the right hand and on the left, was completely covered by a white field of ice, smashed at intervals by the rising of the waves. The telescope was pointed forward, out far away to the horizon no interruption of the field could be discerned. In the meantime all the passengers were on deck, most of them not seeming to realize the danger that was at hand. As the *Cambria* sailed on, with the helmsman eagerly awaiting hasty commands, and the sailors keeping a sharp lookout, the scene to the west was one of appalling grandeur. Nothing could be seen but an immense and solid sheet of ice, whitened with snow and frozen foam, made ghostly by the gloomy rays of the rising moon. No sound was audible but the thump, thump of the screw, the noise of the surges that broke against the polar field, and the frequent crash of the great cakes that crumbled ever the rolling crests beneath. For several hours the same spectacle was witnessed, the vessel plowing southward all the while. No material break was observable, and the sea lay to the southward as far as the eye could penetrate. At length the commander despaired of obtaining a break to the south, and, with a startling courage, he ordered the ship to be turned westward once again and cut right through the ice.

The passengers remained quite composed, deeming the circumstances common occurrences of ocean travel. The heavy iron prow of the *Cambria* was soon heard crashing through the cakes, which were from two to three feet in thickness; and this course was pursued under the moonlight until three o'clock next morning, when the blue waters once again rose to view, and in a short time the danger was over. The vessel had run sixty miles southward and seventy miles eastward before she became disentangled from the dangerous meshes of the ice snare. Had the weather been foggy, the difficulties of escape would have been tenfold increased.

The Eccentricities of Genius.

Theodore went about in his night-dress, hanging pictures. And he roamed through his house at unseasonable hours, followed by his wife, that lady dutifully bearing a pillow and a candle, seeking for a soft spot, and turning the occupants of the establishment out of their beds in order to find it. This is a little remarkable; but Theodore must not be judged as we judge other men. Theodore is a genius, and many performances of his, which would appear to the ordinary world to be remarkable, were doubtless the result of superior wisdom. We have forgotten the name of the old professor who went out seeking a bull. Having found the animal the old professor bent himself forward, his hair touching the ground, and looked at the bull through his legs. The animal started for him and he made the most horrible grimaces. The animal was not frightened, however, and in a moment the professor found himself sprawling in an adjoining field. "Why, what in the world were you making faces at that bull for!" inquired a friend who had happened along and witnessed the performance. "Sir," said the professor, scrambling to his feet, brushing the dirt from his clothes, adjusting his spectacles and looking about as mysterious as foolish, "there are secrets in the profession to which I belong which it would not do for the ordinary world to understand, and if I choose to be a martyr to them that is my business and not yours."—*Rochester Journal.*

YESTERDAY afternoon a lady in a street-car pulled the strap for the driver to stop at the first crossing of a street, but the bell did not strike. She did not notice this, but rushed to the door and began to use her tongue-lash on the driver quite freely. She wanted to be set off at the first crossing and he had driven nearly to the second. Without a word, he promptly stopped his car, hitched his horses to the rear end and pulled it back to the first crossing, much to the amusement of the other passengers and the chagrin of the virago.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

THE friends of Tweed are still making efforts to secure his liberation.

DETROIT CURRENCY.

From the Detroit Free Press.

THE Czar of Russia has the toothache like the rest of us, and he uses almost the same emphatic expressions.

A NEW JERSEY paper quietly observes that "none are so deaf as those who can't see." Hear! hear! as an Englishman would say.

A MEMBER of the North Carolina Legislature, in discussing a bill, asked: "Mr. Speaker, are we men or jackasses?" Several North Carolina papers are unable to take sides.

AN Ohio woman rises and says: "I've been married thirty-four years, worked like a nigger, and never lived in a house which had parlor folding-doors." Pass around the hat.

WARNER, the Michigan circus man, is getting ready for the summer campaign. He is having 1,000 dead-head tickets printed, reading: "Admit editor of——."

AN Iowa minister paused in his sermon and said: "Girls, you may laf and giggle and giggle and laf, but when you are on your dyin' beds you'll remember this afternoon and wish you'd have cut your right hands off first!"

A MISSOURIAN who comes home after an absence of a week, and finds that his wife has been knitting a tidy instead of splitting wood, has a right to tell her that her folks always did have the name of being the laziest people in the State.

A REASONING BOY.—Yesterday noon, as a boy about eleven years old was going up Bowland street with a quart-pail full of milk he stumbled and spilled out a full pint. He sat the pail down, leaned up against the fence and meditated for a few minutes, and then entered the Capitol School grounds, replaced the lost milk by holding the pail under the hydrant, and went home with a grin a foot long on his face.

STUDYING GEOGRAPHY.—While a newsboy was hanging around one of the depots yesterday a gentleman engaged him in conversation and inquired:

"Do you go to school, bub?"

"Yes, sir, and I'm in geography," was the answer.

"Ah, ha! Where does the sun rise?"

"In the east."

"Correct. Where does it set?"

"In the west."

"That's right. What is the earth's surface composed of?"

"Land and water, sir."

"Right again. Is the world round or flat?"

"Less see," mused the boy, sitting down on a bench. "Well, I know dad and mam had a fight about that very thing, but I forget which licked!"

THE SECOND WIFE.—As a boy was going down Porter street yesterday a woman opened the front door of a house and called, "John! John! John!" As the boy paid no attention to the calls, a pedestrian said to him:

"Here, bub, your mother is calling to you."

"No, she isn't," replied the man as he turned the corner; "she's only father's second wife, and she wants to understand that she can't run me!"

THOUGHT HE MEANT HER.—While a man was yesterday driving a load of lumber down Howard street he saw an acquaintance some distance off, and, raising his voice, he cried out:

"Hello! you old villain!"

A grim-looking woman, using an umbrella for a cane, was passing the wagon, and she wheeled around and shrieked out:

"If you'll get off that wagon I'll let you know who I am!"

NO, HE WOULDN'T.—Yesterday, while the waiting-room at the Detroit & Milwaukee depot was full of people, an old chap who had been over to a hotel came in and called out to his wife:

"Jane, what do you think? They want ten shillings if we both eat dinner, and six shillings if I eat and leave you here! I'm powerful faint under my jacket, but afore I'll put up with any such distortion I'll buy a peck of peanuts and eat the meats while you eat the shucks!"

The Little Breaker-Boy.

A recent article in *American Homes*, entitled "From Mine to Mine," descriptive of the process of preparing coal for market, gives us this glimpse of the wretched lives of a class of children for whom it would seem there ought to be a Civil Rights Bill enacted:

More stairs, and then we come to other streams of coal slipping and sliding down the iron-shod shoots. Again and again it passes through the sifters, till at last only a black dust flows out upon the ground, where it is picked up and carried away.

The breaker is crowded with men and boys. They sit on benches above the drifting streams of coal, and with patient eyes and grim fingers pick out every scrap of slate that passes under them. In the stove and nut-coal small boys, mere ten and twelve-year-old youngsters, sit in dusty rows and thrust their pitiful little paws into the sliding mass in pursuit of the slate and stone.

Behind the rows of little fellows that bridge the dusty brook stands the taskmaster with his brutal stick, to keep them in order and up to their work. We stand in the dust-laden air, and watch the black little fellows with feelings of pity and indignation. Has this corruption no more wit than to employ a brutal overseer with a lash to urge these children up to their work? We do not reckon on its soul. We do not imagine that it has any worth mentioning. Has it not even sense enough to pay these children by the amount of slate they gather?

Half the wages of the over-looker would be a splendid prize to keep the boys up to their work. As it is, the business is a disgrace and a shame. What kind of citizens does Pennsylvania think these breaker-boys will make? Better burn slate in half the stoves in the country than to drive school children to such work, with such a task-master. Pennsylvania wit is slow if it cannot invent a way of clearing the slate, except by hands of infants under a whip.

Poor little dirty faces! They are at least fat and healthy, but that is all. The eyes are dull and timid, as if the world was a sorry place for small boys. They lean over their choking brook, and dive into it with a sort of blind protest, as if for them the world was all upside down, and quite out of joint.

Poor little fellow! New England housekeepers, in their quiet houses, complain if a single slate refuses to burn in their range, and their children are unhappy if their mothers ask them to bring up just one hod from the cellar. Coals mean comfort and luxury to them, and they have never a thought of the little breaker-boys who toil in choking dust and deafening uproar that their coal may be clean.

NEWS SUMMARY.

A GENERAL reduction of passenger rates has been made on all the railroads running to Western points. The competition is expected to force fares down still further.

THE first lot of railroad iron for the Panamint Railroad was purchased in New York, the price amounting to $200,000. The section from Santa Monica to Los Angeles will be completed by the 1st of July.

A TORNADO a few miles below the town of Little Rock, Arkansas, uprooted trees, unroofed houses, and played havoc generally. A Mrs. Jones was killed and her two daughters seriously hurt. Seven houses were destroyed.

CARDINAL MANNING opened the Catholic College at Kensington on Thursday with an address, in which he said he regarded himself as intrusted with a commission of warfare, for he believed the church was approaching a crisis the most fiery for 300 years.

A FEARFUL tornado swept through Edinburgh, Illinois, on Wednesday, demolishing a church in which were some twenty or thirty young ladies and gentlemen. About fifteen had been taken from the ruins at the latest accounts. A Miss Porter was dead.

HENRY VARLEY, the London Evangelist, delivered his farewell sermon at the New York Hippodrome to 15,000 persons. His exhortations were very effective and many persons wept. He intends to go to Boston and thence returns to England.

NOTICE of action has been given in the new six million suit against William M. Tweed. The list of property attached embraces everything known to be in possession of Tweed at the time of the exposure, and which he has since passed into the hands of other persons.

THE conflict between the Madrid Government and the University is getting serious, and may cause the downfall of the Ministry. Several more professors have been exiled. The King's chief physician has been offered the head position in the University, but refused to accept.

COLONEL JOHN M. POWELL, of Mississippi, who committed suicide on Friday, was, previous to the rebellion, one of the wealthiest and most influential planters in Mississippi. Wendell Phillips once remarked of his estate, that "cotton and slaves grow spontaneously on Powell's plantation."

THE walking match in New York, between Daniel O'Leary, of Chicago, and John De Witt, of New York, 100 miles, for $1,000, was won by O'Leary, who completed the distance in 23 hours, 53 minutes and 14 seconds. The last mile was performed in 9 minutes and 13 seconds. De Witt gave up on the fifty-seventh mile.

IN the New York Assembly, the bill to permit a wife to testify for or against her husband in civil actions and criminal trials, was reported adversely by the Judiciary Committee, and a report agreeing to similar disposition was made of Speaker McGuire's bill, allowing a wife to testify against her husband or in behalf of another person in cases of crimcon.

IT may be noticed, remarks a Paris correspondent, that the new Republic cannot be reproached with want of respectability, for among its sponsors are to be found one Prince of the blood royal—the Prince de Joinville—four Dukes, three Marquises, thirteen Counts, three Viscounts, five Barons, and a large number of noblemen who, having no title, have the right to use the aristocratic particle "de."

THE English army, exclusive of non-efficients in the reserve forces, is returned this year at considerably under half a million. It comprises 161,000 volunteers, 12,500 yeomanry cavalry, 118,000 militia, and 186,821 regulars. Of these last there are 23,912 distributed throughout the colonies, 69,850 stationed in India, and 100,059 at home. No returns are given of the number of native and colonial troops.

THE Commissioner of Indian Affairs has received a telegram from the Agent of the Cheyenne River Agency, stating that he can bring to Washington nine Sioux chiefs, including three or four prominent Black Hills, whenever needed for the contemplated negotiation to buy that reserve. The Commissioner will not notify them to come till he receives reports from the two other agents in the Sioux country, so as to have all the proper representatives of the tribe at the same time.

A CONSIDERABLE portion of one day's session of the House of Commons was consumed in debate on the bill by Fawcett, to enable unmarried women to vote at elections for members of Parliament. Smollett said the agitation emanated from a number of turbulent women in America. The bill, if passed, would enfranchise women who gained their livelihood by immorality. The House, upon a division, refused to order the bill to a second reading by a vote of 152 to 187. Disraeli voted with the minority.

A LETTER from St. Petersburg states that the firm of Lindholm, of San Francisco, has obtained permission from the Russian Government for a monthly communication between Vladistock, on the east coast of Siberia and Japan. A steamer intended for this purpose has been built, and will start on her first voyage July 1st. Vladistock will thus be reached from St. Petersburg, via Japan, San Francisco, Pacific railroads and the Atlantic, in fifty days, whereas the journey by land through Siberia occupies at least six months.

ADDITIONAL particulars of the massacre of the English surveying party in British India, show that 80 were killed and 51 slightly wounded; 52 were unhurt. The Government intends to send two regiments forward at once, when the massacre will be avenged. The orders to these regiments are, to exterminate all of the villagers and villages of what are known as the Sanua and Niniu villages of the Naga Hills tribes. The savages, nearly 200 in number, obtained access to the camp of the surveyors under pretense of bearing presents, and of selling provisions, etc.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL BARLOW, of New York, speaking of the suits against Tweed and others, says that with the testimony which Ingersoll is in a position to furnish, connected with what will be proved by others, according to the statute just enacted permitting suits to be brought for the recovery of money stolen from local treasuries in the name of the people, there is no doubt whatever that the sums which have been stolen from the city and county will be recovered and judgment given against all persons who will be shown to have shared in the division of the money.

A WASHINGTON special says the Union Pacific Railroad Company is likely to soon have another serious subject to consider, as there is little doubt that the Attorney-General is examining the law to ascertain whether the Government can enjoin payment of the dividend by the Company to stockholders, as has been announced they will soon do. It is maintained that the first duty of the Union Pacific Company, after payment of the interest of its first mortgage, is to look after the second mortgage. The Solicitor of the Treasury is understood to have so advised.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

The late cold weather has proved somewhat injurious to certain crops in some portions of the State, especially so to small fruits, though not to such an extent as first reports from several districts would lead us to believe. The season is somewhat backward on account of the cold, but on the whole we think the harvest of grain and nearly all that of fruit will be as abundant and large as has been predicted throughout the past winter season. That we are to have a very large accession to the population of our State this year is evident from all present appearances. According to the most reliable accounts upwards of 10,000 persons have crossed the mountains, California bound, within the past six weeks, and the influx now is at the rate of over 500 persons per day. The majority of these immigrants are from the Western States, though nearly all the States have their representatives among them. These people come with the intention of settling permanently on the coast, and many of them are possessed of means to purchase homes and improve property.

Receipts of wheat are comparatively light and prices are firm, confirming the impression that the surplus yet remaining in the interior is nearly exhausted. The exports by sea of wheat and flour, from July, 1874, to date, foot up nearly 11,000,000 centals. Tonnage is abundant. First-class grain-carrying ships can be chartered to Liverpool direct at 42. Flour is quite active, the demand being chiefly for export; rates unchanged, except for interior brands, which are a shade lower. Oregon is sending down large quantities by steamer and sail vessels. Barley is looking up in price, with a fair inquiry. Oats are in large supply. We have large receipts by sea from Oregon which keep prices down to a nominal rate. Corn is in fair demand at our quotations. Buckwheat is firm at the late advance, with light stock in market. Rye is without change with but little inquiry. Potatoes have advanced still further in prices for the old crop, which is concentrated in few hands, and, by reason of reported injury to the new crop by the late cold snap, holders have it all their own way. Onions are plenty and cheap, Oregon sending us large quantities by every steamer from the Columbia River. The stock of hops is nearly exhausted, and holders ask high prices. In Fall wool there is no improvement as regards price, the stock being quite large and nearly all of inferior quality. The Spring clip continues to come forward quite freely for the season, and finds a ready market at satisfactory prices, the general quality being superior, fine and long staple, for which there is a good Eastern demand. Dairy products are in free receipt, fully up to daily requirements, without overstocking the market or reducing prices below fair paying rates.

WHEAT.—There is really but little doing. The export demand is quite light. Holders are firm in their prices, and strong in their confidence of being able to dispose of all their remaining stock without making any concession as to price. Those best posted predict an advance before the new crop is brought into market. The range of prices may fairly be given as follows: Choice Milling, $1 65@1 70; Ordinary do, $1 60@1 65; Choice Shipping qualities, $1 62@1 67½; Inferior, $1 42½@1 55. Latest Liverpool quotations are: For average, per ctl, 9s 3d@9s 7d; for Club, 9s 5d@9s 10d. We hear of but few transactions for the week under review.

FLOUR.—There is a steady demand for standard extras and superfine for export with a firm but quiet market at our quotations. Mills are running full time, supplying the demand without overstocking the market. Oregon is sending us large quantities by every vessel from the Columbia river. We quote the range for the various grades as follows: Standard country brands, $4 00@4 37½; extra superfine, $4 50@4 85; silk dressed, City Mills, $5 00@5 37½ per bbl of 196 lbs.

BARLEY.—The market is stronger, with an upward tendency. The supply is fair. Our quotations are for round lots, at which sales have been made as follows: Bright Bay brewing, $1 47½@$1 50; ordinary coast and feed, $1 40@$1 45; extra choice brewing would probably command $1 50@$1 55 per ctl.

OATS.—There is a little more tone to the market, but no improvement in prices. The demand is supplied largely from Oregon—but it is thought shipments from that quarter must soon cease. Fair to choice feed sell at from $1 60@1 75 ₱ ctl.

RYE.—Is in limited demand; receipts are light. There is but little change to note in price, the present range being $1 15@1 20 per 100 lbs.

CORN.—Receipts have been moderate, with little more inquiry. Small transactions are reported at $1 45@$1 50 for prime Yellow. White being very scarce is held higher.

BRAN and MIDDLINGS.—The mill prices are $15 00@$16 00 for bran, and $25 00 ₱ ton for middlings. The demand is moderate.

HAY.—Is in good supply, with a fair demand and a tendency to lower prices. The cargo price on the wharf ranges from $8 00 to $17 50 ₱ ton, according to quality, there being an unusually wide range in prices for the reason that strictly choice Wheat is scarce, while fair to good grades are very abundant.

STRAW.—Is quoted at 60@75c per bale.

BEANS.—White are scarce and in good demand at fair prices; colored are in light demand. We quote the range of wholesale prices for round lots as follows: Bayos, 2½@2¾c; Pink, 1¾@1¾; Red, 1¾@2; White Pea, 3¼@3½c; White Butter at 3¼@3½c. ₱ lb.

HOPS.—There is no movement to speak of. Stocks are very light, and prices are firm, holders waiting for higher prices; 35@37½c may be quoted as the range.

HONEY.—There is no change to report. Present receipts are small. Owing to a large export trade at low prices early in the season, stocks are much reduced and prices remain steady and firm at 18@22½c for White Comb; dark do. 10@15c; Strained remains steady at 6@9c, according to quality.

POTATOES.—The stock of old is much lighter than is usual at this season of the year, and the bulk of it is controlled by a few large houses. Receipts are fair, the demand is brisk, and prices have been still further advanced to $2 00@$2 50 ₱ 100 lbs, at which price they are firmly held, the market being supplied from Humboldt, Tomales and Petaluma. New crop from the vicinity of the Mission come in slowly and sell readily at 3½@4½c.

ONIONS.—The market is well supplied with both home and Oregon product. The range of prices is wide, say $1 00@$1 25, according to condition.

WOOL.—The stock of Fall Wool remaining on hand is unusually large for the season, and although prices are exceedingly low the quality is so inferior as to make it almost unsaleable—the present range being from 9@14c. The Spring clip is now coming forward freely, even for the season, and the general condition quality is pronounced above the average. There is considerable movement at fair prices. The following transactions within the week, with prices annexed, will convey the best idea of the present market: 200,000 lbs in lots, Spring clip, within the range of 18@22c; 25,000 lbs choice, at 23c; 10,000 lbs extra long staple—one year's growth—at 25c; at the close, 350,000 lbs burry, in lots, 14@17c.

COTTON.—There is but little movement, and prices are merely nominal, say 12½@15c. Stock on hand held for higher figures.

HIDES.—There is a further decline from quotations of last week of one-half cent ₱ lb for dry, but no change in price of wet-salted; 18@19c cash is now paid for usual selections; 8@8½c ₱ lb for wet-salted.

TALLOW.—Stock on hand is still accumulating, and hard to work off, the demand being quite light—prices are merely nominal, with a prospective decline. Refined, of good quality, commands 6@7c, while large quantities of fair grade will bring only 6@6½c.

SEEDS.—There is an active demand for many varieties, the oil-mill taking all the clean Flax offered at our quotations. We quote: Alfalfa, 16@18c; Canary, scarce, 12½@15c; Flax, 3 @3¼c; California Mustard dull, 1¾@3c.; Timothy, 7c ₱ lb.

CATTLE.—Our markets are well supplied with all the varieties of meats. The following are the wholesale rates: Beef, 5@9c, according to quality; Calves plenty at 6@7c; Mutton, 4@4½c, plentiful; Lambs, 6@7c; Hogs on foot, 6¾@7¼; Hogs, dressed, 8½@9¼; the latter price for choice small ones.

POULTRY.—The market demand is fair, receipts are light, prices moderate. We give the range as follows: Hens and Roosters, $8 00@$9 00 ₱ doz; Broilers, $4 00@$6 00 ₱ doz; Geese, tame, $2 50@$3 ₱ pair; Ducks, do., $8@$10 ₱ doz.; Turkeys, live, 20@22c ₱ lb; do, dressed, 22@24c. pr. lb.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.—The supply of Fresh California Roll Butter is about equal to the daily consumption, all the surplus being packed by the dairymen as fast as made—present prices being within the range of 25@30c, the latter price being for the production of the best dairies in Marin county. There is some Eastern here, but not offered on the market. New California cheese is coming in freely and stock is accumulating, selling at 14@16c. Fresh California Eggs command 27½@30c, the supply being short of demand. No Eastern in the market.

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Over fifty years ago, a youth working on a farm asked his father to give him money enough to buy a gun. The old man could not spare it, but the boy, nothing daunted, found an old piece of iron about the place, and in the course of time contrived to make a gun barrel out of it with the very meagre facilities afforded by a country blacksmith's shop. He had not the materials to make a lock and stock, so he walked to the nearest town and traded for the necessary attachments, and was encouraged by the smith for having made so good a shooter; this gave him the ambition to make another; so he went to cutting out grindstones from the native rock to raise money for gun materials, and in a short time there was a considerable demand for guns of his make. During the French war with Prussia he was called upon to furnish guns for the army, and in less than eight months he made and delivered to the Government of France rifles of a particular pattern, costing $5,000,000, which amount was duly paid. The same man furnishes rifles now for the United States, South America, Rome, Spain, Egypt and Japan. The farmer's boy who wanted a gun is Eliphalet Remington, Ilion, N. Y. His manufactory covers four acres of ground, and he employs 1,200 men. Not satisfied with this achievement, he has recently completed a sewing machine, which is reported to be quite a success. This is the type of a boy who, when there is not a way, makes a way for himself.

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